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HARMONY HOST TO 1,500 HOMECOMERS

RURAL COMMUNITY HOLDS ANNUAL EVENT DESPITE WEATHER.

FEED MANY ON LAWN; RAIN STOPS ADDRESS

Dr. Stokley Fisher Talked in Morning, While the Rev. R. L. Finch and Publisher Spoke Later.

Harmony celebrated its sixth annual celebration in grand shape yesterday at Harmony church despite the rain and resultant bad roads and swollen streams to lessen the attendance. Fully 1,400 persons from all parts of Nodaway county, Southern Iowa and surrounding counties attended, some coming by train, some in automobiles and in other conveyances.

The speaking program was considerably changed and many were unable to fill places on the program on account of the road conditions, but the out door dinner at noon went off as slated. Food of every form and variety was heaped on the big 100-foot tables that were installed on the church lawn.

The three local workers scheduled to appear in Sunday school lectures at Harmony yesterday morning, did not appear on account of the condition of the roads and lack of conveyances. They were Dean G. H. Colbert, who was to have spoken to adult classes; William F. Smith, to the intermediate classes and Miss Mary Q. Evans to the four primary classes of the Sunday school there.

The Rev. Finch spoke. The Rev. R. L. Finch, pastor of the Christian church here, however, delivered an address yesterday afternoon on missionary work and the extra work of this kind that the present European war will throw upon the United States missionaries.

The only morning address was delivered by Dr. Stokley Fisher, head of the English department, Kansas City University, Kansas City, Kan., from which school the Rev. C. R. Green, Harmony pastor, was graduated in 1900. Dr. Fisher had previously advised that he could not come on account of trains being annulled at Kansas City because of floods, but later managed to get through to Harmony.

Dr. Fisher spoke on homecoming as it compared with the final lap of ones life, as related to the book of Revelations, and of the need for greater community interest and spirit in rural communities.

Rain Shortens Program.

The afternoon speakers were Mr. Finch and C. D. Morris, publisher of the St. Joseph Gazette. The latter spoke on "The American Boy." He explained that the boy of the United States had a better chance to be above all others, because he had better parents, a better government and a better country as a whole, than boys anywhere else in the world.

The Rev. E. M. Houchens of Ravenwood, delivered the invocation at the morning services.

While an exact count of the crowd could not be made, it is variously estimated as having been between 1,200 and 1,500 throughout the day. The crowd was largest about 3 o'clock, a greater portion of the "homecomers," not appearing until after dinner.

The speech by Mr. Morris was cut short by the rain storm and some of the best part of the talk was drowned out by the chug chug and the burr of many automobile engines as they were being started for a trip home.

Many Go From Maryville.

Many Maryville persons attended

the homecoming celebration, same having gone to Harmony before noon with baskets of food for the dinner contribution. A majority of the local attendants, however, waited until afternoon.

The Harmony band gave a concert during the dinner period and also during the day, while several other musical numbers were planned for the day's services. The address by Dr. Fisher in the morning was delivered in the church, while the afternoon addresses were delivered from the church steps.

The dinner consisted of chicken by the bushel, a freshly killed sheep, "piping hot," cakes of every kind and description, jellies, salads, sandwiches, etc., etc., and then some.

Is Well Known Community.

Speaking of the Harmony homecoming, the St. Joseph Gazette this morning, said in part:

The home-comings were inaugurated when Rev. C. R. Green came to the pastorate six years ago, and have increased in popularity year by year since. The community, which has had the church for a center for more than thirty years, has become famous the country over, and is the subject of a lecture that has been delivered by Rev. Green to thousands of people in audiences throughout the state.

The fame of Harmony has gone so far that Rev. Green has been in demand recently in helping to establish communities in other places, and the Canadian government has engaged him for six lectures to be delivered at Ontario this fall. He also will be one of the principal speakers at the conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, at Chillicothe in September.

The community does everything in a thoroughly organized way, from dragging roads to marketing eggs. It has a band, a chorus, a base ball club, a marksman club, an annual harvest home entertainment, periodical entertainments at the church, and a standing invitation to all new ideas that will improve living and social conditions there. The church, except for the pastor's residence, stands alone at the crossroads.

BROTHER DIES IN CHICAGO.

Nick Schumacher Goes to Attend Funeral Services of D. Schumacher. Nick Schumacher left Saturday noon for Chicago, called there by the death of his brother, Dominic Schumacher, who died Friday night.

Mr. Schumacher had frequently visited in Maryville and was well known in the city.

COMPLETES TOWNSHIP FORM.

Lincoln Sunday Schools Meet in Final Session at Elmo.

The Sunday schools of Lincoln township held a convention at Elmo Thursday for the purpose of completing the township organization.

The sessions were held in the Methodist church of Elmo, and following the business meeting a splendid program was given.

The executive officers of the township organization, chosen at a meeting held several weeks ago are Leonard Yaple, president; George Walton, vice president; Miss Anna Huff, secretary, and Byron Woodman, treasurer. The department superintendents, appointed at the meeting Thursday, were Miss Hazel Livengood, elementary; John S. Wood, adult; Mrs. George Shoptaugh, home; S. G. Williamson, temperance; J. E. Hease, missionary. The office of secondary superintendent is to be supplied.

Death of Baby.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Reynolds, former residents of this city, died at Omaha Saturday afternoon. The remains were sent to Maryville Sunday and burial will take place at Oak Hill cemetery tomorrow.

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FEDS TIE IN NINTH

LOCAL PLAYERS OVERTAKE SHENANDOAH LEAD AT LAST.

RAIN PREVENTS FINISH

Quit in Tenth With 3 Runs Each—Shower's Delay Was Blessing to Maryville—Iowans Fast.

The Federals, by miraculous playing in the ninth inning, saved themselves from defeat by the Shenandoah base ball team at Federal park yesterday afternoon. With the score standing 3 to 1 in Shenandoah's favor when it began to rain, Morris and Bailey each came home, tying up the game. Part of Shenandoah's half of the tenth inning was played, but no scores were made when the game was called.

The 300 fans who witnessed the ninth inning play got the worth of the admission charge right there, but when the big drops of water began to fall on the grand stand roof it was thought they were beneath a sieve. The tie will perhaps be played off here some time next month. The Federals play tSanberry Red Sox here next Sunday, and will perhaps go to Stanberry for a game Saturday, July 3.

The Federal management this morning announced that the roof of the grand stand would be repaired so as to keep both rain and sunshine from the heads of the occupants hereafter.

Is an Ever-Winning Team.

It is not really surprising that Maryville was unable to defeat Shenandoah yesterday when it is known that out of all games played so far this season the Iowans have come out victorious. Five were shutout games and four were no-hit games on the other side. The Shenandoah team defeated Farrago a week ago yesterday by the score of 4 to 0.

It can hardly be said that the Federals did highly creditable playing yesterday, for they did not, in fact, Shenandoah excelled in general fielding and batting, but hitting and taking advantage of errors at the opportune time tied the game for Maryville.

Nesmith, pitcher for the Iowans, fanned thirteen local men to seven struck out by Ham. Nesmith appeared to have an awful tricky out curve, interspersed with an in, which he took turn about in using, and struck the men down almost at will. Ham was off a little in pitching, but beat past records of his in fielding and batting.

Maryville Scored in Fourth.

Shenandoah got its first run in the second inning, when Stanger went to first on an error, to second on a single by Mitchell, and home on a two-bagger by Knight. Four Shenandoah batsmen got on bases that inning, but two died on the sacks while another was caught off guard.

Shenandoah got its second run in the sixth inning, when Alumbaugh went to first on a walk, stole second and went the other two laps on singles by Nesmith and Stanger. The Iowans got their final score in the ninth on a single by Mitchell, a single by Knight, next up, to third on a fielder's choice, and home on a single by Miller.

Maryville Federals went scoreless until the fourth inning, when Ernest got a walk, went to third on a single by Scott and came home on a nipped fly by Bailey in left field.

The final dash made by Maryville was in the ninth, when, with none down, Morris took a walk, went to second on an overthrow, pitcher to first baseman, went to third on a fielder's choice, and home on a choice hit by Bailey. Ernest scored the final score with a run to first on a fielder's choice, stole second and third and came home on a single by Wiles, pinch hitter for Conley. The score:

Shenandoah.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Thompson, cf.	5	0	2	0	0	0
Crawford, ss.	5	0	0	1	2	0
Nesmith, p.	4	0	1	1	2	1
Stanger, c.	4	1	1	1	4	1
Mitchell, 3b.	4	1	2	0	1	0
Knight, 2b.	2	0	2	1	0	0
L. McKee, lf.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Miller, rf.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Alumbaugh, 1b.	3	1	0	6	0	0
Totals	35	3	9	27	6	2

Maryville.	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
D. Carmichael, c.	4	0	1	1	5	1
Tilson, 1b.	4	0	0	7	1	0

Morris, lf.	3	1	0	2	0	0
Ernest, cf.	3	2	0	0	0	1
Scott, 3b.	4	0	1	2	1	1
Bailey, 2b.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Woodard, rf.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Conley, ss.	3	0	1	1	2	2
Ham, p.	3	0	1	2	5	0
Wiles, ss.	1	0	1	0	0	0
Seckington, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	3	4	29	17	5

**Succeeded Conley last of ninth.
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*Game called before finish of inning.
Summary—Two-base hits, Knight 1. First base on balls, off Ham 1, off Nesmith 2. Struck out, by Ham 7, by Nesmith 13. Left on bases, Maryville 5, Shenandoah 6. Hit by pitcher, Ham 2. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Keck.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN PLAN PLAY.

100 Children to Be in "Colonial Days," at Church Friday Night.

A playlet entitled "Colonial Days" will be given Friday night at the First Christian church, by about one hundred children of the Sunday school of the church. The children are being trained by Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown of St. Joseph. The entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society.

DEFER NORMAL LECTURES.

Flood Delays Arrival of Dr. G. D. Strayer a Day—Begin Series Tomorrow.

The series of ten lectures to be given this week at the Normal by Dr. G. D. Strayer of the Teachers' College of New York, will be begun tomorrow afternoon instead of today, on account of a delay in Dr. Strayer's arrival. Dr. Strayer has been floodbound out in Kansas, where he has been lecturing.

Two lectures will be given each school day this week, one at 9 o'clock in the morning and one at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

TO PICK ENDEAVOR DELEGATES.

Christian Young People to Attend District Meet at Cameron This Week.

A special meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Christian church has been called for tomorrow night to finish the selection of delegates to the district meeting of the Christian Endeavor at Cameron, June 25, 26 and 27. One more delegate is yet to be selected.

Those already chosen are Miss Beesie Curditt, Miss Thella Hogue, John Ross and John McDougal. H. J. Becker will also attend, but not as a delegate, he being a former district officer.

TO GET ROAD MONEY SOON.

Hughes Already Starts Special Culvert Work—Expect Fund July 1.

In anticipation of the \$30,000 fund voted by Hughes township this spring, preliminary work on the construction of new concrete culverts has been begun in that section of the county. Districts will be formed in other townships and a supervisor selected to oversee the work.

The final orders for the bonds are being prepared today by County Clerk Fred J. Yeomans for forwarding to the state auditor for approval. That is the final lap of the steps that must be taken before the money is finally turned over to the township.

HOPKINS COMES FOR GAME.

Maryville Will Play Postponed Game at Normal Grounds Tomorrow Afternoon.

The base ball game between Hopkins and the week-day local team, postponed last Thursday on account of rain, will be played, beginning at 4 o'clock, tomorrow afternoon on the Normal diamond, barring further rains. The grounds are drying fast and a fairly good diamond is anticipated by tomorrow.

The probable line-ups:
Hopkins—Sargent, c; Thomas, p; Morris, 1b; Ashmore, 3b; Clutter, ss; Kime, 3b; Roberts, lf; Bock, rf; Miller, rf.
Maryville—Hagey, c; Wakeman, p; Mastellar, 1b; Vaughn, 3b; Palfreyman, ss; Gray, 3b; Vandersloot, lf; E. Adams, cf; Alley, rf.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; slightly cooler tonight.

FORCE SLAVS BACK

AUSTRO-GERMANS NEAR LEMBERG, GALICIA CAPITAL.

RUSS LOSE HARD FIGHT

Russians' Advance Into Poland for Naught—Kaiser in Command of Teutons in Death Struggle.

London, June 21.—After seven weeks' battering across Galicia, during which the Russians have been thrown back more than 150 miles, the Austro-Germans are today as close to Lemberg as were the Germans to Paris after their first dash across France last fall.

Never, perhaps, since before the battle of the Marne, have the Teutonic allies appeared so confident of success. Having failed in their original plan of crushing France, and then turning to Russia, they have reversed the order of their strategy and now, judging by the expenditure of life and ammunition in Galicia, they have pinned their whole faith in so paralyzing the Russian army as to permit of the throwing of a tremendous weight of men and metal into the western theater, there either to break through the Franco-British line or force an interminable period of sanguinary warfare.

Kaiser in Command. A dispatch from Copenhagen says that the German emperor himself has taken supreme command of the Galician campaign, establishing his headquarters in Silesia, as near to the front as practicable.

Meanwhile the German official communication records the further progress of the Austro-German forces toward Lemberg, both to the north and south of the city. It claims that the Russians have been cleared from parts of the Dnieper to the south.

The great question England and its allies are asking is whether Grand Duke Nicholas, commanding the Russian forces, can successfully emulate Joffre's tactics of last fall and check the Austro-Germans at the gates of Lemberg.

What Optimists Think.

Optimists point out that the grand duke checked them almost at the gates of Warsaw, just as General Joffre stopped the Germans before Paris and Field Marshal Sir John French stopped them before Ypres, Dunkirk and Calais.

It is argued further that even should Lemberg fall, the Russians can drop back to equally formidable positions, utilizing the rivers and swamps and other advantages of the terrain, and it is the British contention that they could thus hold out for months, England and France in the meantime sending to their aid men and munitions if necessary.

Whether Russia has sufficient ammunition to meet the present strain is a question which cannot be answered in England, although the London papers say frankly that the shortage is acute.

One of the papers characterizes the situation in Galicia as "Russia's supreme emergency," and public interest is centered in that theater, notwithstanding the hard fighting in progress along the western front. The sound of guns is audible at Lemberg and possibly this week will see the culmination of one of the most interesting phases of the great war.

Italians Take Malborget.

Italian and Austrian raids from the sea, an Italian attack from the air, and the fall of the Austrian fortress of Malborget marked the day's activities between the two forces of King Emmanuel and Emperor Francis Joseph.

The results of the sea and air raids are unimportant in comparison to the capture of Malborget, which dominates important passes and peaks in the Carnic Alps.

Describing the damage done to the fort by the heavy Italian guns, General Cadorna reported to the Italian war office that shells tore great holes in the outer works of the fortress and sent part of the stone defenses tumbling in ruins.

Not only have the Italian forces won success in this region, but they also have progressed in the fighting along the Isonzo.

In France the allied forces report gains at various points. The French have captured several additional German trenches around Souchez and in Alsace have made a considerable advance, occupying among other places the town of Metzeral, which the Germans set on fire before their evacuation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sipes spent the day Sunday with friends at Savannah.

AUTOS COLLIDE; TWO HURT

High Hedge Prevents View, so Mrs. E. L. Dakan and Mrs. C. D. Hooker Suffer—Damage Cars.

Mrs. E. L. Dakan, ten miles southwest of Maryville, is in St. Francis hospital today with a severed leader, artery and nerve of the left leg, slightly below the knee, and Mrs. C. D. Hooker, Maryville, had the wrist of her right arm sprained, as a result of a head-on automobile accident three miles southwest of the city, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The accident occurred at Embree's corner, where a high hedge fence obstructs a view around the corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dakan and three children were on their return from Harmony, where they attended the homecoming celebration, while Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hooker and daughter, Halcyon, and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hooker were driving towards Maryville. Both are said to have given warning as they neared the corner, but neither driver heard the other's signal. The crash of the two cars occurred directly at the turn.

Mrs. Dakan was thrown either against the windshield or the speedometer, which caused the injury. Occupants of both cars were badly shaken up. Mrs. Hooker had her arm sprained by it being forced against the back of the rear seat.

Both automobiles were considerably damaged. Dakan was driving a Ford and Hooker at Mitchell car. The front lights of both machines were crashed, the fenders bent, the windshields broken and spring to the front axle strained. The Ford car, however, was driven in to Maryville on its own power.

A slight rain or mist was falling at the time of the accident, which also tended to obstruct a view of the road ahead, and perhaps muffled the warning of each car. The injury to Mrs. Dakan is not considered serious.

TO GIVE FREE RECITAL.

Piano-Viola Concert by Conservatory Faculty at M. E. Church, July 8.

Miss Bernice Rice, a pianist, and Miss Callie Thompson, violinist, of the Maryville Conservatory faculty, will give a concert Thursday night, July 8, at the First Methodist church. No admission will be charged to the recital.

Both musicians have joined the Conservatory faculty since the beginning of the new term's work. Miss Rice came from Emporia, Kan., where she had been head of the piano department in the Emporia State Normal school for four years past. Miss Rice has studied in the best schools of the United States, including study under Rafael Joseffy of New York and Madame Fannie Bloomfield Zeisler of Chicago. In 1910 Miss Rice went to Berlin, Germany, where she studied for a year under Prof. Paul Goldschmidt.

Miss Thompson came to Maryville from St. Joseph. For five years past she has been a pupil of Mort S. Morse of Kansas City, one of the best known violin instructors in the west. A Conservatory orchestra will be organized under the direction of Miss Thompson.

Later in the summer a faculty recital, in which all the Conservatory teachers will participate, will be given.

ELMO LIST TO IOWANS 1 TO 9.

Shenandoah Second Team Won on 8 Hits—Elmo Fanned 18.

Although Dale, pitching for Elmo, "fanned" eighteen men and allowed but three hits, the Shenandoah, Ia., team defeated the Elmo team at Elmo yesterday afternoon by the score of 9 to 1. Elmo players got four hits but lost the game on inopportune hitting and eight costly errors.

Battery for Elmo was Dale and Crowden. Battery for Shenandoah was Baldwin and McIntosh.

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RIVERS IN COUNTY HIGH; BRIDGES GO

NODAWAY RIVER TAKES OUT STEEL AND WOOD SPAN.

NO FURTHER DANGER EXPECTED BY FLOODS

Unless More Rain Falls, Crest of Streams Believed Near—102 Goes Over Banks Here.

Although all rivers of Nodaway county were rising at every point but one at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, danger from flood waters is not expected to be increased materially unless further rains fall in the river watersheds. The Nodaway, 102 and Platte rivers are overflowing in the low places at noon today, but not enough to do further harm than was done in the recent overflow.

The 102 river was at nearly a standstill, but rising a little at noon today at Hopkins, rising quite rapidly at Pickering, and at the water plant here it was rising at the rate of two to three inches an hour. The crest is believed to be reached in the headwaters and perhaps will be at Hopkins late this afternoon, it is said.

The Nodaway river was reported rising at Clearmont, Elmo, Burlington Junction, Quitman and Skidmore at 1 o'clock this afternoon. At Graham the report indicated a fall, the new rains evidently not having reached there yet.

Rains Across State Road.

The Platte river at Ravenwood, Parnell and Conception Junction and Guilford was reported rising at 1 o'clock this afternoon, but little overflow was reported. At Ravenwood the flood waters had begun to run across the road west of town, but no further crop danger than was reported in the recent flood is expected.

The 102 river overflow was running over the highway at Pickering this afternoon and had risen about a foot this morning. Bert Hilsabeck, at the city water plant, said the recent rise in the 102 commenced early this morning and the overflow was running across the state road between the main channel bridge and the new ditch bridge, and also east of the main span, but not enough to endanger traffic on that highway unless the channel bridge should go down.

Nodaway Takes Out Bridges.

The Nodaway river is again doing the majority of the havoc and damage. The 50-foot steel bridge spanning the new channel of the Nodaway on the Thomas Coker farm, a mile south of Burlington Junction, was washed down stream at 6 o'clock this morning. It had not been recovered at noon today. It is a private structure.

The approaches also went out in the flood waters. The wood piling at each end gave way yesterday and finally at daylight this morning the whole structure began slowly to slide into the stream, Elmer Coker reported today.

The floor of the bridge held the span afloat, but no trace has been found of it below there.

The 36-foot wooden county bridge across the Nodaway channel west of Burlington Junction also has gone out. W. M. Blackford, presiding judge of the county court, reports. The 13-foot approaches at each end also went. Traffic is held up there temporarily.

A small wooden bridge across Clear creek at Ringgold's place, twelve miles north of Maryville, went out Friday night. A small wooden structure across Clear creek, north of Wilcox, also has gone out with the freshets, the county court is advised.

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TUESDAY—All Star, "Chocolate Soldier," 5 acts. 5 and 10 cents

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THURSDAY—Lional Barrymore in "A Modern Magdalen," Five Acts, 5 and 10 cents.

FRIDAY—Wilton Lackaye in "Children of Ghetto," Five Acts 5 and 10 cents.

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It is said that an endowed peace organization has arranged to put on a peace campaign this year, and to stage more than 1600 Chautauqua lectures. Better send them all to Europe. People here are all peaceful now and will continue to be if let alone.

The water question in Maryville has been temporarily solved. A good shower every afternoon, followed by a gully-washer at night will relieve the board of all further worry. For the present the water question is in a state of solution, and everything else soon will be unless the weather man changes his behavior.

A man has been found who would rather stay in jail in Moberly than not stay at all. A judge gave him the alternative of leaving town or going to jail. He went to jail. He probably figured that it was only a question of time when he would land in some other jail, and he might as well save the walk.

A Denver man who recently died left a peculiar will, but one which may prove a blessing in disguise to the beneficiaries. He left two sons and a considerable fortune. The boys are to receive \$500 each at once, and at the end of each year thereafter as much as they have saved during the year. If they have accumulated a thousand dollars each during the year, they are to get a thousand each additional, but if they have squandered what they have they get nothing. The will is that of a German, who explains in it that he desires to encourage in his boys, after his death, habits of industry and thrift.

RUNNING LOW.

From the report of the receivers of the Wabash railroad filed with the court last week, it would appear that the receivers have been no more successful in laying up a surplus than the former stockholders' management. Instead of liquidating the debts, they have not been increased. Of course, we do not know to what extent the road has been improved nor what amount has been laid up in betterments, but the report shows a total cash on hand of only \$12,003.43, which would not last more than about twelve minutes in paying legitimate operating expenses. The road has been ordered sold Wednesday, and a reorganization, we understand, has been perfected to that end.

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The report of the receivers shows resources of cash on hand and due from other railroads, individuals and companies of \$2,892,429.63; supplies and materials on hand worth \$1,750,000, and unearned premiums on insurance amounting to \$28,877.16. Against this are liabilities as follows: Receiver's certificates and interest, \$16,428,500; due to railroads, individuals and companies for supplies, \$6,436,742.99; due to banks for money loaned, \$333,550; due to employees for wages, \$1,633,308.36; due to railroads, individuals and companies on traffic balances, \$1,531,583.61; interest on bonds accrued but not yet due, \$685,000; receiver's equipment notes, \$754,000, or a total of considerably more than eleven million dollars besides the receiver's certificates and the outstanding bonds.

THEOLOGICAL STUDENT HOME.

Ralph Farmer Arrives from Oberlin College to Spend Summer Here.

Ralph Farmer, a student at Oberlin college, Oberlin, O., has arrived in Maryville to spend the summer visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farmer. Mr. Farmer is a student in the theological department, and during the summer months he will have charge of two churches in the St. Joseph presbytery, preaching at the Walkup Grove and Napier churches.

TO HAVE CELEBRATION.

Colored People Will Hold One This Year at the Fair Grounds if They Can Raise the Money.

The colored people will hold their celebration on August 4, probably at the fair grounds. A soliciting committee was out today raising money for the celebration, and they are wanting \$700. Horse racing will be had at the celebration in addition to speaking, band music, and a number of other features. A night program will also be arranged for at the fair grounds.

PLAN A GUILFORD CONCERT.

Ravenwood Orchestra to Present Musical Friday Night on Return from Savannah.

The Ravenwood orchestra will give a classical musical program in the opera house at Guilford next Friday night, June 25. Charles DeLong and K. Tehow head the management of the orchestra.

The concert will be given by the Ravenwood musicians on their return from Savannah, where they are to assist in the Epworth League convention next Friday.

Guests of Mrs. Perrin.

Lona Perrin of Des Moines, Ia., arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. Alice R. Perrin. Mr. Perrin is employed on the Des Moines Register-Leader, and will spend a ten days' vacation in Maryville. His sister, Mrs. D. R. McLeod, and family of Hutchinson, Kan., will arrive in Maryville Monday night to spend a fortnight.

To Spend Vacation in Chicago. Miss Frances Miller, stenographer for Moore Bros., left today on a two weeks' vacation in Chicago, where she will visit her sisters, Misses Verda and Mabel Miller. On their return she will be accompanied by Miss Verda Miller, who will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Miller.

Mrs. Harry Snyder and daughter, Lucile, went to St. Joseph Sunday to spend a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. A. D. McHenry, and family. Mr. Snyder accompanied them and spent the day there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson and daughter, Ruth, and Mrs. Hanson's mother, Mrs. T. A. Shipley of Sioux City, Ia., who is visiting them, spent Sunday at Rosendale with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Baum.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Roy Ellis, Diagonal, Ia. 22
Ica May Applegate, Hopkins. 18
Thomas O'Brien, Ravenwood. 21
Katharin McCaffrey, Maryville, over 18

Defer Guilford-Rosendale Game. The base ball game scheduled to be played at Guilford yesterday afternoon between Guilford and Rosendale was postponed on account of wet grounds.

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Produces more loaves of good bread than any other flour.

48-lb. sacks Gold Coin, Short Patent Flour \$1.60
Per Cwt \$3.15
The best all purpose flour milled in the U. S.

40c sack fresh Graham Flour for .30c
75c bushel for choice Old Potatoes.

Mammoth-size Florida Pineapple .15c
Large size Florida Pineapple, 2 for 25c
Medium size Florida Pineapple .10c

Fresh Raspberries daily, price low.
No. 10 pails (1.50 size) pure Hog Lard \$1.20

No. 5 pails (75c size) pure Hog Lard 63c
No. 3 pails (45c size) pure Hog Lard for 38c

John Morrell's light lean selected 30c
Breakfast Bacon, 1b. 22 1/2c

2-lb cans Red Pitted Cherries, solid pack, 2 for 25c
Our 35c quality California Table Peaches, 2 1/2-lb cans, very finest to be had, 3 cans for 65c

No. 1 cans Sliced Peaches, for cream, 3 for 25c
Golden Wedding Coffee, 1-lb sealed cans, nothing better, 35c, or 3 for \$1.00

Golden Wedding Coffee cans contain valuable coupons.

Dr. Price's 50c cans Cream Baking Powder, 8oz, 2 for 75c
Hershey's finest Baking Chocolate, 1/2-lb cakes, only 18c

Dromedary brand Dates, 3 pkgs for 25c
Dromedary brand Instant Tapioca, 3 pkgs for 25c

9 Bars Lenox Soap for 25c with an order for other goods. Don't overlook this good trade. Lenox is the standard by which most other soaps are measured for quality.

Fresh Roasted Whole Grain Rio Coffee, 2 lbs, 25c; 8 lbs. \$1.00
Pimento Cheese, jar 15c

Brick or Swiss Cheese, 1b. 25c
Quaker Corn Meal, sterilized, 2 pkgs for 15c

Extra large jars Dried Beef. 25c
10c pkgs Ivory Powdered Starch, 2 for 15c

10c tall cans Pet Milk, 2 for 15c
New Crystal Wax Dry Onions, 7 lbs for 25c

Small cans Finest Quality Sliced or Grated Pineapple 8c
Imperial Valley Canteloupes, large size, 3 for 25c

Fine New Tomatoes, 3 lbs for 25c

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FOURTH AND MAIN STS.

PLAN TALK EACH MORNING

Best Talent to Appear in Chautauqua Then—A Specialist East Day Promised.

A distinct innovation is going to be sprung at Chautauqua this year. Instead of the morning hour lecturer who stayed five days and delivered five lectures, as heretofore, there will be five specialists this year, each remaining at the Chautauqua one day only.

These five specialists are Hon. Yutaka Minakuchi, who will speak on the "Men and Religion Forward Movement"; Dr. F. Q. Brown on "The Economic Value of Missions"; Mr. W. B. Dickinson on "Supervised Public Playgrounds"; H. R. McKean on "The



W. B. DICKINSON.

Problems of the Rural Church," and Tel. W. Lambin on "Our Public Schools."

Each of these men has qualified as a specialist in his line and will have a great message of tremendous value to offer to those interested in their respective subjects. There can be no doubt that constructive work of great importance will be done by these men.

NEW STATE LAWS EFFECTIVE.

Two Hundred Measures on Statute Books—Ninety-Day Period Ends.

All of the laws enacted by the forty-eighth general assembly that did not bear emergency clauses became effective Saturday, that being the expiration of the ninety-day period after the sine die adjournment of the session.

One of the most important of the new laws is the one providing a method for filling by appointment any vacancy that may occur in the office of United States senator. Until this law was passed there was no method of filling such a vacancy from any cause.

Another important new law to publishers is that prohibiting the publication in any manner of "untrue, misleading or deceptive advertisements."

The session acts were compiled, printed and distributed several weeks ago, about thirty days in advance of the usual time of distribution.

There are more than 200 of the new laws.

TO SELL WABASH AT AUCTION.

Railroad to Be Put on Block Wednesday—Liabilities are Thirty Millions.

The liabilities of the Wabash railroad are \$30,579,382, while its cash on hand is little more than \$12,000, according to a report filed in the federal court at St. Louis by Edward B. Pryor and Edward F. Kearney, receivers of the Wabash.

The total of sums owed the company is \$3,980,426, the report says. The report was filed in accordance with the court's decree ordering the sale of the road.

The Wabash will be sold under the hammer at noon Wednesday in St. Louis.

Farm Crops Prices Decrease.

The level of prices paid producers of the United States for the principal crops decreased about 1.3 per cent during May; in the past seven years the price level has increased during May 3.3 per cent.

On June 1 the index figure of crop prices was about 6.1 per cent higher than a year ago, 21.5 per cent higher than two years ago, and 6.0 per cent higher than the average of the past seven years on June 1.

Died at the Hospital.

Daniel Clary of Lenox, Ia., who has been at St. Francis hospital for the past three or four days, died there Sunday morning about 6 o'clock. His remains were taken to Lenox today at noon and burial will take place there. Mr. Clary was about 70 years old and was a bachelor. No relatives survive so far as is known.

Hopkins Defeats Clarinda.

The Hopkins base ball team, which plays the Maryville team here tomorrow, and which lost to the Federals here recently in a shut-out game, defeated the team of Clarinda, Ia., at Hopkins yesterday 9 to 2.

Burlington Junction Wins Game. The Burlington Junction base ball team won by a score of 13 to 1 against Imogene, Ia., at Burlington Junction yesterday afternoon.

Miss New York Will Wear This Model This Week For The First Time



"La Pompadoure"

An advanced party dress model, carried out in FLOWERED CHIFFON TAFFETA, with Fillet Lace Fichu, inset in overskirt and flounce on drop skirt. The effect is charming, and its beauty is heightened by the touches on contrasting color in the velvet ribbon trimmings.

It is priced \$21.75

As the distributors for a certain Fashion Club of New York, it is our privilege to present each week their latest effort, simultaneously with its appearance in New York City. In other words, the store, through this organization, becomes a Fifth Avenue shop that has widened its neighborhood.

Fifth Avenue in everything but the price—in cut, in distinctiveness, in pattern, in finish—but in values, outstripping anything you could obtain for considerable more money along America's most fashionable thoroughfare.

The exceptionally low price and unusual quality is made possible solely through the co-operative advantages of this Fashion Club. You get all the benefits.

The dress of the week from this headquarters of style is shown herewith.

Let us show you this dress, as an example of what buying from a store with affiliations such as this Fashion Club means to you. We will not have to discuss the model's merits. You will immediately see them for yourself, and be as anxious to have the dress as we are to please you.

The Store That is **Haines** Anxious to Please You

A Letter from J. T. Neal.

J. T. Neal, in writing to The Democrat-Forum from Paragould, Ark., writes as follows:

Editor Democrat-Forum: I will try to write a few lines as to the weather and crop prospects as they are now, which might interest some of you. First of all, I will speak of our winter. The old timers say they never saw one as hard as the past one. One morning the thermometer registered 15 below zero, and several mornings it was 3 and 4 below. Our first snow fell the eighth day of December, and we had plenty from then on. Our biggest snow was ten inches deep. Spring opened warm without much rain and everybody went to work in the field.

We had no late frost to kill the fruit. We had to thin out peaches and then many of the trees are breaking.

Some of the apples are blighted, but there will be more than enough for the home market. The woods are full of wild blackberries just beginning to ripen. Everyone who had a strawberry patch has had plenty of fruit, but they are gone long ago.

The wheat crop is good and most of it is in shock. Oats are extra good and will be ready to cut this week. Corn is fine, lots of it laid by, and some of it in tassel with a few silks here and there. The hay crop is good and a few pieces of timothy are cut. Alfalfa has been cut once and ready to cut again. We have had lots of rain this summer, but not enough at any one time to keep workers out of the field for over a day at a time.

The June corn is coming fine. I planted 4 acres last Tuesday that will be big enough to plow this week. The rest of my corn I will lay by this week. There are a lot of stock peas and soy beans sown here this spring. They are now about knee high? The early potatoes are as good as I ever saw, and the gardens, too.

The large timber mills will start work again with full crew about the last of the month, the first time in eighteen months. This will give employment to several hundred men. Everything is well on the boom and lots of improvement being done in the town, and everyone is up to the minute with a good crop.

Send Democrat-Forum want ads.

Iron in Water Easily Detected.

Half a part per million of iron in water is detectable by taste, and more than 4 or 5 parts makes water unpalatable. In some mineral springs iron is the constituent which imparts a medicinal value to the water, but ordinarily it is undesirable. More than 2.5 parts per million in water used for laundering makes a stain on the clothes.

Iron must be removed from water from which ice is made, or a cloudy, discolored product will result. An iron content of over 2 or 3 parts per million in water used in the manufacture of paper will stain the paper.

Iron is harmful in water used for steaming, for it is in equilibrium with acids which inside the boiler become dissociated, with the result that the free acids corrode the boiler plates; but the amount of iron carried in solution by most waters is so small that

the damage it does to steam boilers generally amounts to little.

Waters having a high iron content have in some places, where they have been used as city supplies, caused an immense amount of trouble and expense, for they favor the growth of Crenothrix to such a degree that the water pipes become clogged with iron sheaths of that organism. The removal of iron from water is sometimes easy and sometimes very difficult.

Ice cream and strawberry social at the Mt. Airy church Wednesday evening, June 23. 21-22

Takes Vacation to North. Homer Weber, clerk at Pearson's pharmacy, returned this morning from a week's vacation spent visiting Mrs. Weber at Clarinda, Ia., friends in Omaha, and on an excursion to Des Moines and St. Paul.

Friends' Opinions

Convincing proof of Efficiency in our Banking Service is the fact that a large part of our new business arises from the recommendation of present patrons

Frequently new patrons tell us that they are establishing relations with this institution because we have so satisfactorily served their friends.

A consultation with one of our Officers will convince you of the superior Service we offer.

The First National Bank
And The
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Watch Our Windows for Bargains

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HUM DRUMS TO GIVE A PLAY.

Rehearsals for "Marrying Jane," to be given June 30, now under way.

Rehearsals for the two-act musical comedy, "Marrying Jane," to be given by the Hum Drum club June 30, are well under way, under the direction of Miss Besse Scott. The operetta promises to be one of the best home talent performances given for several years. The play will be staged at the Empire theater for the benefit of the rest rooms.

The cast, as announced today, is composed of Misses Glen Hotchkiss, Hildred Hanna and Ora Barmann, Jesse Miller, Jr., Fred Lewis, Fleming Carpenter and Eugene Cummins. The chorus will comprise Misses Martha Koch, Ora Barmann, Blanche Shippis, Dale Hoffman, Marjorie Wilfley, Katherine Carpenter, Frank Cummins, Kenneth Strawn, James Philp, Harold Staples, Eugene Cummins and Perry Crandall, with Miss Amy Clark and Frank Schumacher as soloists.

Miss Mildred Robinson will be featured in the Bubble chorus. Specialties will be given between acts by Misses Amy Clark and Blanche Shippis, Frank Cummins and Fleming Carpenter.

ASSAULTED CHILD; FINED \$5

James Palmer, Negro, Found Guilty by Police Court Jury—Appeals to Circuit Court.

James Palmer, a negro, was fined \$5 and costs by a jury in police court at 3 o'clock this afternoon, after a trial before Mayor U. S. Wright, which began at 11 o'clock this morning, for common assault on Pauline Palmer, his daughter, recently. He filed notice of appeal to circuit court here in September. His bond was fixed at \$200 pending trial there.

The costs in the case will amount to about \$23. The charge of common assault placed against him by his wife was dismissed. The jury was composed of R. P. Hosmer, Frank Reavis, Charles Moore, Joseph Cornell, Walter Wray and Charles Kiser.

The defendant was represented by Charles McCaffrey, and the city by W. H. Crawford.

KEEP FREIGHT CARS IN USE.

Farmers Should Avoid Unnecessary Delay in Loading or Unloading.

Because a shortage of freight cars may, at certain seasons, mean to the farmer a total loss of his year's labor, the importance of his insisting upon more stringent regulations to prevent the unnecessary detention of cars by shippers is pointed out in a new publication of the department.

At the present time some of the state demurrage codes contain provisions apparently designed to give the farmer special concessions.

The man who is backward in loading or unloading the freight car he has ordered contributes just that much to increase the shortage throughout the country, from which the farmer is likely to suffer more than any other business man. If the farmer is willing to waive all concessions to demand the abolition of all concessions made in favor of others.

In the great majority of instances in which cars are not unloaded promptly the delay arises simply from the fact that the shipper is deliberately using the freight car as a storage warehouse. The economic waste in this is obvious. The ordinary storage warehouse does not have to be equipped with automatic couplers and air brakes, for which somebody has to pay and which earn nothing while they are lying idle.

If, therefore, shippers persist in wasting the earning capacity of this valuable equipment, they should be made to pay for the waste themselves and not pass the burden on to the rest of the community. As has been said, it is usually possible to load and unload a car within a reasonable time, and there is no reason why the whole community should pay the storage bills for any one individual shipper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ray and daughter, Beatrice, living near Conception, visited Sunday with John Mahoney and family.

Mrs. Melissa Casteel and J. B. Taylor attended the home-coming services at Harmony church Sunday.



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Eastern Star to Meet.

The Eastern Star chapter will meet in regular session Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. All officers are requested to attend as there will be special work.

Called Meeting Thursday.

There will be a called meeting of the Twentieth Century club at the Elks Club Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as there is important business.

Mrs. Wolfert Hostess.

Miss Carrie Margaret Baker and her guest, Miss Frances Montgomery of Skidmore, were the guests of honor at an informal bridge and luncheon given Saturday afternoon by Miss Baker's aunt, Mrs. Edward F. Wolfert.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton, South Depot street, entertained at dinner yesterday Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holliday and son Otha, daughter Ladean, and Charles Middleton, Otha Middleton and Miss Ada Lea Middleton.

Dinner Party.

Miss Ulah Crawford, living west of Barnard, was the hostess of a dinner party given Thursday noon, when her guests were Misses Eva and Elsie Davis and Miss Grace Elliott. Miss Eva Davis spent the week end with Miss Crawford.

Married by Rev. Harkness.

Roy Ellis of Diagonal, Ia., and Miss Ica May Applegate of Hopkins were married at 7:30 o'clock Saturday at the home of Mrs. Louella Landfather, 422 West Fourth street, by Rev. S. D. Harkness of the First Presbyterian church. The young couple were accompanied to Maryville by Misses Cora Lowden and Lottie Fitz and Messrs. Tom Ingram and Edgar Miller of Hopkins. After a few days visit in St. Joseph the couple will make their home in Diagonal, Ia.

For Miss Lindholm.

Miss Eleanor Smith will entertain with a dinner at 6:30 o'clock this evening in honor of Miss Lillian Lindholm of Ottawa, Ill., who is visiting Maryville friends. Miss Smith will have the assistance of Miss Geneva Wilfley in entertaining her guests. The other guests will be Miss Alice Porter, Miss Marie Reuillard, Miss Wilma Mills, Miss Jennie Garrett, Miss Bernice Rice, Miss Grace Sturm, Miss Amelia Kuenster of Denver, Col.; Mrs. Adelaide Kortrecht, Mrs. M. J. Estes, Mr. P. O. Landon, Mr. Don Brannan.

Euchre Party.

Mrs. S. G. Gillam entertained a number of guests with a euchre and luncheon Saturday afternoon. The guests were Mrs. Conrad Yehle, Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, Misses Rose and Lenore Schumacher, Mrs. Hal Hooker, Mrs. T. L. Wilderman, Mrs. R. F. Hamblen, Mrs. N. Sturm, Mrs. Cleve Funk, Mrs. A. A. Brewer, Mrs. J. W. Toel, Mrs. Will Montgomery, Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, Mrs. Luther Forsyth, Mrs. L. E. Dean, Miss Helen Leffler, Mrs. Berney Harris, Mrs. C. D. Hooker, Miss Kittle Grems, Miss Margaret McDougal, Mrs. Edward L. Townsend, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Miss Clara Bellows, Mrs. George B. Baker and Miss Bess Todd.

Birthday Dinner Party.

A few of the children and grandchildren gathered Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wray of Pickering with well filled baskets to honor Mrs. Wray's seventieth birthday, which occurs Wednesday, June 23. During the day music was furnished by some of those present. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wray, Mrs. W. N. Wray, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carl Wray of Guilford, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Berkey of Orrsburg, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McGinnis of Maryville, Hazel and Karle Parker, Mary Wray, Fay Wray, Wray Parker, Marvin McGinnis and Carl Wray, Jr. The other children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Wray could not attend on account of high water and rainy weather.

Mission Circle Meets.

The annual election of officers of the Mission Circle of the First Christian church was held Saturday afternoon at a meeting held in the church parlors. Those chosen were Mrs. A. K. Frank, president; Mrs. Ellis Cook, first vice president; Mrs. Newton Hagins, second vice-president; Mrs. Lee Crossan, treasurer; Mrs. Jessie Swann, secretary; Mrs. F. P. Robinson, musical director; Mrs. F. L. Flynt and Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, organists. Plans were made for the midsummer outing, which is to be held during July, after which the program was given. Mrs. William Wade Smith acted as leader. Readings were given by Miss Besse Curdutt, Mrs. Newton Hagins, Mrs. H. B. Schuler and Miss Mattie Dykes. A letter from Mrs. H. A. Denton to the Circle was read by Mrs. Harry Todd, and Mrs. F. P. Robinson gave a vocal solo.

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We have arranged on table in the Shoe Department a number of pairs of low Shoes of broken lots, strap effects and colonial pumps, values up to \$3.50. Special to close out

\$2.00

B. O. G. Club Met Sunday.

The members of the mysterious B. O. G. Club, composed of several Maryville boys, who, from previous experience, have excellent reasons and qualifications for being joined thereto, took it upon themselves to be hosts at a picnic Sunday. They showed themselves to be royal entertainers, although only boys. The picnic was held at the Normal park Sunday noon. Those present including hosts and guests were: Russell Burris, Don Hagins, Dewey Saunders, "Bill" Van Cleve, Omer Lyle, Ellison Frank, Byron Costello, Francis Barmann, Claude Glass, Kenneth Van Cleve, Clark Evans, Martin Lewis, Aubrey Lyle.

FOR RENT—4-room house, 104 N. Walnut. Water and lights. Also 7-room flat over Reuillard's. Eldon Lloyd, 423 West First.

Band Concert Postponed.

The concert to have been given Saturday night at Clearmont by the Elmo band was postponed on account of the stormy weather. The concert will be given one night this week.

Here on Business Trip.

Will Price, manager of the Mutual telephone exchange of Quitman, spent today in Maryville on business.

Clyde Defeats Conception.

The Clyde base ball team defeated Conception Junction on its own diamond yesterday afternoon by a score of 9 to 4.

Miss Anna Balmum arrived home today from Kansas City, where she has been visiting since the close of the state university.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

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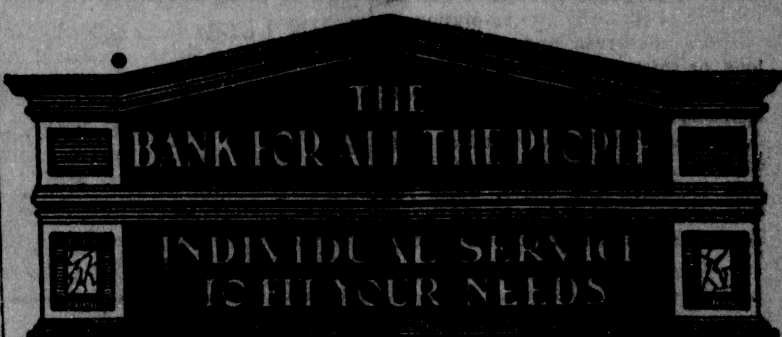
Hammocks

Hammocks are really one of the summer necessities. Easily placed and always ready. They make a resting place for you in the coolest part of the yard or porch. We have a large line of the Chicago Hammocks ready for you to select from. As an inducement we are going to offer you a hammock at lower prices. You can now buy our \$1.25 for only \$1, Our \$4.00 Hammock for \$3.50. And a number of others ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$3.50

Croquet Sets

A Croquet Set will give real amusement to you and especially the children all summer long. Our 75c Croquet Set is an extra good one for the money, a big value. And we have them in other styles priced up to \$4.00. Now is the time to get one of these sets.

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THOUSANDS of young men, spend four years in college and in the end are satisfied if they have learned the art of concentration and of giving better than just ordinary service.

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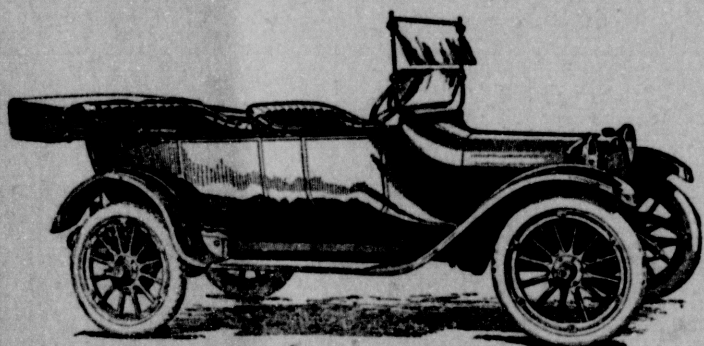
The maintenance cost is a source of real satisfaction to the owner. The consumption of gasoline is light and the tire expense is reasonable because the size of the tires is right for the weight of the car.

The motor is 30-35 horsepower. The price of the car complete is \$785 (f. o. b. Toledo).

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TO READ THE WATER METER.

Mechanism Can Be "Proved" and One Should Know How.

"How do I know that the water meter is correct?" This is a common query by the householder upon the receipt of a large bill. It reflects a natural attitude. The water meter is a complex piece of mechanism, and if the city department wanted to "put one over," how would the laymen know? Why, by testing the meter, and all that is necessary for this is a little patience and a quart measure. Here is the way to do it says the Kansas City Star.

Upon the face of the meter are five or more dials, which register the amount of water consumed, either in cubic feet or in gallons. These figures read up to the millions in figures, but what we want is the "proving hand," and if it is not marked you can discover it by turning on the water at a faucet and then watching the meter. The "proving hand" will move around ten times faster than any of the others, and it is supposed to register one cubic foot of water in one revolution.

There are seven and one-half gallons, or thirty quarts, in a cubic foot; so we will take the quart as the most convenient measure. Use only the faucet from which you intend to make the test. Station someone of the house hold to watch the meter, while you turn on the water and make the "proving hand" come directly over a selected

mark; then continue to let the water run, but measure it carefully in the quart receptacle until the observer at the meter has called out a complete turn of the proving hand.

By that time you should have measured thirty quarts. If you have measured more your meter is slow, and if you have measured less your meter is fast. If your measurement is one quart less or one quart more than thirty, your meter, for all practical purposes, is correct.

It Rained 23 Inch.

The rainfall Saturday night and early Sunday morning amounted to .04 of an inch, and that of yesterday afternoon and last night amounted to .19 of an inch, according to J. R. Brink.

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If there is anyone having this kind of work, I will satisfy you both in price and work.
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Ordered to Land Marines
To Protect Americans.



Photo by American Press Association.

LIFE TERM TO FRANK INSTEAD OF DEATH

Georgia Governor Extends
Clemency to Slayer.

Macon, Ga., June 21.—Leo M. Frank arrived in this city this morning under heavy guard on his way to the state farm at Milledgeville, Ga.

Sheriff Mangum of Fulton county, who had Frank in charge, said that Frank's sentence had been commuted to life imprisonment by Governor Slaton.

The sheriff and his prisoner were transferred to an automobile and immediately left for the state farm. Frank was not handcuffed.

CAR ARBITERS TO MEET

Macley Hoynes Chosen by Labor After Judge Scanlan Declines.

Chicago, June 21.—The first meeting of the board of arbitration to settle the street car controversy will be held tomorrow in the office of Mayor Thompson, who is to act as umpire.

The mayor sent out a call for the meeting, after he had been informed of the selection of State's Attorney Macley Hoynes to represent the street car and elevated employees. The traction companies already have chosen Attorney James M. Sheehan as their representative on the arbitration board.

There was an element of surprise in the choice of Mr. Hoynes. The men had requested Judge Kichkan Scanlan to act as their arbitrator, but he replied he had other work which would require his undivided attention.

Conditions in Mexico Deplorable.

Galveston, Tex., June 21.—Three hundred and ninety refugees from Mexico were landed in the United States from the United States army transport Buford after five days in quarantine off Galveston. Concerning Mexican conditions, all described the situation there as "deplorable" and many said that American intervention was the only solution of the problem.

Potter Girl Believed Crowned.

Chicago, June 21.—The two books entitled "A Strange Story" and "The New Machiavelli," which Miss Grace Stewart Potter carried when she disappeared a week ago, were found on the lake shore in Winnetka. The police believe Miss Potter has been drowned, whether with suicidal intent is not known.

Axman Suspect Captured.

Grand Island, Neb., June 21.—After searching the entire northwest central part of the state for a man supposed to be the one who on May 21 murdered Ada Swanson at Omaha by mangling her with an ax, capture by Ben Stuthett, twenty-five years old, was finally effected at St. Paul.

Austria Appreciates Help of Americans
Washington, June 21.—Appreciation for gifts from Americans and other foreigners for distribution among the families of killed and wounded soldiers was expressed in a statement issued by the Austro-Hungarian embassy, quoting an official communication from Vienna.

Indiana Company Raising Belladonna.
Greensfield, Ind., June 21.—Eli Lilly & Co., at their experimental farm, near Greensfield, are raising an unusual crop of belladonna, the field of ten acres where the crop is being raised being probably the only one of its kind in the country.

Name Welshman War Buyer.

London, June 21.—D. A. Thomas, prominent Welsh colliery owner and one of the survivors of the Lusitania disaster, was named by the British government to go to the United States and Canada and negotiate war munitions contracts.

IMMIGRANTS STAY IN NEW YORK.

Statistics Show Few Go To Agricultural States—Less Are Naturalized.

During the fiscal year 1914 only 23,891 immigrants were destined to the great agricultural states of Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota and Oklahoma, while 344,663, over one-fourth of the total immigration, was destined to New York state.

The south Italians furnish the largest number of alien immigrants, but at the same time have the largest percentage returning home. In 1912, 135,830 entered, 96,880 (71 per cent) returned; in 1914, 251,612 entered, 72,767 (29 per cent) returned. Southern Italians in 1914 formed slightly over 20 per cent of the total immigration.

In 1914, 790,607 persons, or 65 per cent of the immigration, were destined to five states—New York, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Illinois and Pennsylvania. These same states contained 30.7 per cent of the population in the United States.

At no time since there has been a record of the foreign-born people in the United States have the North Atlantic and the North Central divisions contained less than 84 per cent of this element of our population.

For the decade ending 1910 nearly nine million people landed in the United States. This exceeds one-third of all the arrivals from Europe since 1820. These recent immigrants alone would repopulate the whole of New England and have 2,242,000 to spare, the latter number of itself being nearly equal to the present total population of Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Arizona and Nevada.

In 1914 1,218,000 arrived. This number would repopulate the states of Delaware, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada and Wyoming.

Between 1900 and 1910 the number of natives of northern and western Europe in the United States decreased from 7,016,000 to 6,740,000, while the population of southern and eastern Europeans increased from 1,332,000 to 5,948,000 during the same period.

Recent immigrants show a marked tendency to avoid acquiring citizenship through naturalization. In 1910 there were 2,266,535 foreign-born white males 21 years of age or over in the United States who had not even taken out first naturalization papers, while in 1900 the number was only 914,917. Putting it another way, in 1900 only 18.7 per cent of our eligible immigrant population had taken no step toward acquiring citizenship, while in 1910 more than 34 per cent had failed to do so. This argues a remarkable increase of those who have no intention of keeping an abiding interest in America's welfare.

Married at Kansas City.

Mark Bryant and Miss Bessie Colwell were married at Kansas City last Tuesday. Mark worked for the New York stores here at one time and made many good Plattsburg friends. The bride's home is at Burlington Junction, the groom's former home, and has visited Plattsburg friends during the groom's stay here. They will live in Colorado Springs.—Plattsburg Democrat.

Maitland T. Graham S.

The Graham base ball team lost to Maitland at Graham yesterday afternoon by a score of 3 to 7.

Deafness

Are You Deaf or Hard of Hearing?

Now is the ideal time to treat deafness. Ninety per cent of all deafness is caused by catarrh. Dr. Edwards of St. Louis has discovered and perfected an operation for catarrhal deafness which is remarkable for its many cures. There is no cutting and it is painless. I am now using this operation in Maryville with remarkable success. Every patient treated by me has been cured or greatly benefited.

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VILLA CHIEFTAIN DEFIES THE U. S.

Maytorena Objects to Landing
of American Marines.

CARRANZA MAY BE OUSTED.

Constitutionalist May Be Eliminated From Mexican Politics Unless He Yields to Obregon and Other Officers—Four Cabinet Ministers Quit.

On Board U. S. Colorado, Guaymas, June 21.—The Colorado, with several hundred marines aboard to be used to aid, if necessity arises, American citizens in the Yaqui valley imperilled by Indians, arrived here and found that conditions in the valley were quiet. No recent attacks by Yaquis on foreigners have been reported.

Washington, June 21.—General Victoriano Carranza, original leader of the Mexican Constitutionalist movement, is face to face with a situation that may eliminate him as a factor in Mexican politics, unless he yields to the dictation of his commanding general, Alvaro Obregon, and other high officers in his army.

Official advices revealed that four of Carranza's cabinet ministers had resigned and that General Obregon was insisting on their retention, as well as the dismissal of the members to whom they were opposed.

Word also came to the American government that General Jose Maytorena, the Villa commander in Sonora, objected vigorously to the possible landing of American marines to rescue Americans in the Yaqui valley, indicating that he would regard such action as a hostile invasion. Inasmuch as Maytorena promised to send troops to the region to protect foreigners, the American government, which had decided to land marines only if absolutely necessary, it is understood, will consider the incident closed with the arrival of the Maytorena troops.

News that Carranza had removed his headquarters to the old isolated fortress, San Juan de Uloa, in the harbor of Vera Cruz, spread the impression that he feared an uprising against him in Vera Cruz. American warships lying in the harbor would give him asylum should he desire to escape, it was stated.

ENGLISH RECRUITS HALTED

Party of Twenty-six Quizzed and Then Freed at Chicago.

Chicago, June 21.—Federal officials intercepted a squad of twenty-six recruits for the British army bound from San Francisco to New York. They were headed by Lieutenant Kenneth Croft, who said he is on the way back to England to join his regiment.

The men were questioned for several hours and then released. It is understood Lieutenant Croft agreed to remain in Chicago pending an investigation of alleged recruiting activities on the Pacific coast.

Three of the men dropped off the train en route to Chicago and two got away when the federal officials corralled the crowd at the Union depot. The remaining twenty started east on a Michigan Central train. They said their destination was New York and that they would sail some time this week for England. Federal officials wired both Detroit and New York to be on the lookout for the crowd. Detroit officials were requested to see whether they would attempt to cross the river and get quickly into Canada to get away as soon as possible from the jurisdiction of the United States. All the men denied they had enlisted.

BECKER PLANS LAST PLEA

Appeal to Governor Discussed With Attorney in Death House.

Ossining, N. Y., June 21.—Charles Becker, sentenced to die next month for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, was visited in his cell in Sing Sing's death house by his counsel, Martin T. Manton of New York.

Mr. Manton remained with Becker half an hour discussing, it was inferred, the plan to appeal for clemency to Governor Whitman.

This, it is believed, is virtually Becker's only hope for escaping the electric chair, since the court of appeals declined to grant a reargument on the appeal from his second conviction.

Cape Haitien Taken by Government.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, June 21.—Cape Haitien was captured by government forces. Marines have been landed from the French cruiser Descartes. The city is calm. Dr. Sosalvo Bobo, leader of the revolutionists, and his followers are in flight toward the village of Trou.

Pope's Nephews at Front.

Rome, June 21.—The three nephews of Pope Benedict XV., the two Counts of Persico and Count Venier, are all with the army at the front. His brother, a retired admiral, has been called to the colors and the admiral's only son, a cadet, is shortly to be commissioned.

Belgian Refugees Come to U. S.

London, June 21.—Like the pilgrims of old, a little band of Belgians sailed from here for New York. They will start life anew on farms near Wilmington, N. C. Their homes in Belgium were destroyed.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League. American League.

W. L. P. W. L. P.

Chicago. 30 21 588 Chicago. 31 20 649

St. Louis. 32 26 532 Boston. 28 18 609

Phila. 28 23 549 Detroit. 34 24 586

Pittsburgh. 25 25 500 New York. 27 24 529

Boston. 24 28 492 Wash. 24 24 500

Brooklyn. 24 29 453 Cleveland. 21 32 399

New York. 21 26 447 St. Louis. 20 24 370

Cincinnati. 21 27 438 Phila. 19 24 358

Federal League. American Ass'n.

Kan. City. 35 25 603 Ind. polis. 37 19 661

St. Louis. 31 21 590 Louisville. 30 25 545

Chicago. 31 25 544 Kan. City. 29 25 527

Pittsburgh. 29 25 537 St. Paul. 26 27 491

Brooklyn. 28 25 500 Milwaukee. 26 28 481

Newark. 28 25 500 Cleveland. 22 28 451

Buffalo. 21 29 451 Minn. polis. 22 30 423

Baltimore. 20 33 377 Columbus. 21 32 396

Western League.

W. L. P. W. L. P.

D. Moines. 31 18 633 Lincoln. 22 24 478

Denver. 25 19 568 Wichita. 19 26 422

Topeka. 28 23 549 Sioux City. 20 28 417

Omaha. 25 23 521 St. Joseph. 19 28 404

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League. R.H.E.

At St. Louis. 0 11 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7 2

Boston. 0 11 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 7 2

St. Louis. 2 20 1 0 0 0 0 0 8 8 2

Crutcher-Gowdy; Meadows-Snyder.

At Chicago. R.H.E.

Brooklyn. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 1

Chicago. 3 20 1 0 0 0 0 0 6 8 0

Aitchehn-Miller; Pierce-Bresnahan.

At Cincinnati. R.H.E.

Philadelphia. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 0

Cincinnati. 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 6 0

Demaree-Killmer; Dale-Wingo.

American League.

At Cleveland. R.H.E.

Cleveland. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 11 2

Chicago. 0 13 1 0 1 0 0 1 7 14 1

Combe-O'Neill; Benz-Schalk.

Second game. R.H.E.

Cleveland. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 0 0

Chicago. 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 3 7 0

Morton-Egan; Scott-Schalk.

At Detroit. R.H.E.

St. Louis. 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 0

Detroit. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 1

Wellman-Arnew; Daus-McKee.

Western League.

At Omaha. R.H.E.

Denver. 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 4 1

Omaha. 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 4 3

Mitchell-Spahr; Blodgett-Kruzer.

Second game. R.H.E.

Omaha. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 9 1

Denver. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 4 4

Thomson-Krueger; Harrington-Spahr

At Sioux City. R.H.E.

Sioux City. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 5 10 3

Lincoln. 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 2 0 4 10 0

Gaspard-Price; Powell-Yantz.

Second game. R.H.E.

Sioux City. 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 8 0

Lincoln. 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 6 1

Boothby-Price; Dawson-McAllister.

At Wichita. R.H.E.

Topeka. 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 2

Wichita. 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0 4 6 1

Grover-Monroe; Brown-Griffith.

Second game. R.H.E.

Topeka. 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 4 1

Wichita. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 2

Geist-Griffith; Sanders-Munroe.

At Des Moines. R.H.E.

St. Joseph. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0

Des Moines. 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 8 0

Vance-Tonneman; Mogridge-Breen.

Second game. R.H.E.

St. Joseph. 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 6 3

Des Moines. 0 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 0 4 7 2

Lakaf-Tonneman; Musser-Breen.

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HARMONY HOST TO 1,500 HOMECOMERS

RURAL COMMUNITY HOLDS ANNUAL EVENT DESPITE WEATHER.

FEED MANY ON LAWN; RAIN STOPS ADDRESS

Dr. Stakely Fisher Talked in Morning, While the Rev. R. L. Finch and Publisher Spoke Later.

Harmony celebrated its sixth annual celebration in grand shape yesterday at Harmony church despite the rain and resultant bad roads and swollen streams to lessen the attendance. Fully 1,400 persons from all parts of Nodaway county, Southern Iowa and surrounding counties attended, some coming by train, some in automobiles and in other conveyances.

The speaking program was considerably changed and many were unable to fill places on the program on account of the road conditions, but the out door dinner at noon went off as slated. Food of every form and variety was heaped on the big 100-foot tables that were installed on the church lawn.

The three local workers scheduled to appear in Sunday school lectures at Harmony yesterday morning, did not appear on account of the condition of the roads and lack of conveyances. They were Dean G. H. Colbert, who was to have spoken to adult classes; William F. Smith, to the intermediate classes and Miss Mary Q. Evans to the four primary classes of the Sunday school there.

The Rev. Finch Spoke. The Rev. R. L. Finch, pastor of the Christian church here, however, delivered an address yesterday afternoon on missionary work and the extra work of this kind that the present European war will throw upon the United States missionaries.

The only morning address was delivered by Dr. Stakely Fisher, head of the English department, Kansas City University, Kansas City, Kan., from which school the Rev. C. R. Green, Harmony pastor, was graduated in 1900. Dr. Fisher had previously advised that he could not come on account of trains being annulled at Kansas City because of floods, but later managed to get through to Harmony.

Dr. Fisher spoke on homecoming as it compared with the final lap of one's life, as related to the book of Revelations, and of the need for greater community interest and spirit in rural communities.

Rain Shortens Program. The afternoon speakers were Mr. Finch and C. D. Morris, publisher of the St. Joseph Gazette. The latter spoke on "The American Boy." He explained that the boy of the United States had a better chance to be above all others, because he had better parents, a better government and a better country as a whole, than boys anywhere else in the world.

The Rev. E. M. Houchens of Ravenwood, delivered the invocation at the morning services.

While an exact count of the crowd could not be made, it is variously estimated as having been between 1,200 and 1,500 throughout the day. The crowd was largest about 3 o'clock, a greater portion of the "homecomers," not appearing until after dinner.

The speech by Mr. Morris was cut short by the rain storm and some of the best part of the talk was drowned out by the chug chug and the burr of many automobile engines as they were being started for a trip home.

Many Go From Maryville. Many Maryville persons attended

the homecoming celebration, same having gone to Harmony before noon with baskets of food for the dinner contribution. A majority of the local attendants, however, waited until afternoon. The Harmony band gave a concert during the dinner period and also during the day, while several other musical numbers were planned for the day's services. The address by Dr. Fisher in the morning was delivered in the church, while the afternoon addresses were delivered from the church steps.

The dinner consisted of chicken by the bushel, a freshly killed sheep, baked to a fare-you-well and served "piping hot," cakes of every kind and description, jellies, salads, sandwiches, etc., etc., and then some.

Is Well Known Community. Speaking of the Harmony homecoming, the St. Joseph Gazette this morning, said in part:

The home-comings were inaugurated when Rev. C. R. Green came to the pastorate six years ago, and have increased in popularity year by year since. The community, which has had the church for a center for more than thirty years, has become famous of the country over, and is the subject of a lecture that has been delivered by Rev. Green to thousands of people in audiences throughout the state.

The fame of Harmony has gone so far that Rev. Green has been in demand recently in helping to establish communities in other places, and the Canadian government has engaged him for six lectures to be delivered at Ontario this fall. He also will be one of the principal speakers at the conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, at Chillicothe in September.

The community does everything in a thoroughly organized way, from dragging roads to marketing eggs. It has a band, a chorus, a base ball club, a marksman club, an annual harvest home entertainment, periodical entertainments at the church, and a standing invitation to all new ideas that will improve living and social conditions there. The church, except for the pastor's residence, stands alone at the crossroads.

BROTHER DIES IN CHICAGO.

Nick Schumacher Goes to Attend Funeral Services of D. Schumacher. Nick Schumacher left Saturday noon for Chicago, called there by the death of his brother, Dominic Schumacher, who died Friday night.

Mr. Schumacher had frequently visited in Maryville and was well known in the city.

COMPLETES TOWNSHIP FORM.

Lincoln Sunday Schools Meet in Final Session at Elmo.

The Sunday schools of Lincoln township held a convention at Elmo Thursday for the purpose of completing the township organization.

The sessions were held in the Methodist church of Elmo, and following the business meeting a splendid program was given.

The executive officers of the township organization, chosen at a meeting held several weeks ago are Leonard Yaple, president; George Walton, vice president; Miss Anna Huff, secretary, and Byron Woodman, treasurer. The department superintendents, appointed at the meeting Thursday, were Miss Hazel Livengood, elementary; John S. Wood, adult; Mrs. George Shoptaugh, home; S. G. Williamson, temperance; J. E. Hesse, missionary. The office of secondary superintendent is to be supplied.

Death of Baby.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Reynolds, former residents of this city, died at Omaha Saturday afternoon. The remains were sent to Maryville Sunday and burial will take place at Oak Hill cemetery tomorrow.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

FEDS TIE IN NINTH

LOCAL PLAYERS OVERTAKE SHENANDOAH LEAD AT LAST.

RAIN PREVENTS FINISH

Quit in Tenth With 3 Runs Each—Shower's Delay Was Blessing to Maryville—Iowans Fast.

The Federals, by miraculous playing in the ninth inning, saved themselves from defeat by the Shenandoah base ball team at Federal park yesterday afternoon. With the score standing 3 to 1 in Shenandoah's favor when it began to rain, Morris and Bailey came home, tying up the game. Part of Shenandoah's half of the tenth inning was played, but no scores were made when the game was called.

The 300 fans who witnessed the ninth inning play got the worth of the admission charge right there, but when the big drops of water began to fall on the grand stand roof it was thought they were beneath a sieve. The tie will perhaps be played off here some time next month. The Federals play St. Berny Red Sox here next Sunday, and will perhaps go to St. Berny for a game Saturday, July 3.

The Federal management this morning announced that the roof of the grand stand would be repaired so as to keep both rain and sunshine from the heads of the occupants hereafter.

Is an Ever-Winning Team. It is not really surprising that Maryville was unable to defeat Shenandoah yesterday when it is known that out of all games played so far this season the Iowans have come out victorious. Five were shutout games and four were no-hit games on the other side. The Shenandoah team defeated Farragut a week ago yesterday by the score of 4 to 0.

It can hardly be said that the Federals did highly creditable playing yesterday, for they did not, in fact, Shenandoah excelled in general fielding and batting, but hitting and taking advantage of errors at the opportune time tied the game for Maryville.

Nesmith, pitcher for the Iowans, fanned thirteen local men to seven struck out by Ham. Nesmith appeared to have an awful tricky out curve, interspersed with an in, which he took turn about in using, and struck the men down almost at will. Ham was off a little in pitching, but beat past records of his in fielding and batting.

Maryville Scored in Fourth.

Shenandoah got its first run in the second inning, when Stanger went to first on an error, to second on a single by Mitchell, and home on a two-bagger by Knight. Four Shenandoah batsmen got on bases that inning, but two died on the sacks while another was caught off guard.

Shenandoah got its second run in the sixth inning, when Alumbaugh went to first on a walk, stole second and went the other two laps on singles by Nesmith and Stanger. The Iowans got their final score in the ninth on a single by Mitchell, a single by Knight, next up, to third on a fielder's choice, and home on a single by Miller.

Maryville Federals went scoreless until the fourth inning, when Ernst got a walk, went to third on a single by Scott and came home on a nipped fly by Bailey in left field.

The final dash made by Maryville was in the ninth, when, with none down, Morris took a walk, went to second on an overthrow, pitcher to first baseman, went to third on a fielder's choice, and home on a choice hit by Bailey. Ernst scored the final score with a run to first on a fielder's choice, stole second and third and came home on a single by Wiles, pinch hitter for Conley. The score:

Shenandoah.	AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Thompson, cf.	5 0 2 0 0 0
Crawford, ss.	5 0 0 1 2 0
Nesmith, p.	4 0 1 1 2 1
Stanger, c.	4 1 1 14 1 0
Mitchell, 3b.	4 1 2 2 0 1
Knight, 2b.	2 0 2 2 1 0
L. McKee, lf.	4 0 0 1 0 0
Miller, rf.	4 0 1 0 0 0
Alumbaugh, lb.	3 1 0 6 0 0
Totals	35 3 9 27 6 2
Maryville.	AB. R. H. O. A. E.
D. Carmichael, c.	4 0 1 11 5 1
Tilson, lb.	4 0 0 7 1 0

Morris, lf.	3 1 0 2 0 0
Ernst, cf.	3 2 0 0 0 1
Scott, 3b.	4 0 1 2 1 1
Bailey, 2b.	4 0 0 3 2 0
Woodard, rf.	3 0 0 1 1 0
Conley, ss.	3 0 1 1 2 2
Ham, p.	3 0 1 2 5 0
Wiles, ss.	1 0 1 0 0 0
Seckington, rf.	1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals	32 3 4 29 17 5

**Succeeded Conley last of ninth.
**Succeeded Woodard last of ninth.
*Game called before finish of inning.
Summary—Two-base hits, Knight 1. First base on balls, off Ham 1, off Nesmith 2. Struck out, by Ham 7, by Nesmith 13. Left on bases, Maryville 5, Shenandoah 6. Hit by pitcher, Ham 2. Time, 1:45. Umpire, Keck.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN PLAN PLAY.

100 Children to Be in "Colonial Days," at Church Friday Night.

A play entitled "Colonial Days" will be given Friday night at the First Christian church, by about one hundred children of the Sunday school of the church. The children are being trained by Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown of St. Joseph. The entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society.

DEFER NORMAL LECTURES.

Flood Delays Arrival of Dr. G. D. Strayer a Day—Begin Series Tomorrow.

The series of ten lectures to be given this week at the Normal by Dr. G. D. Strayer of the Teachers' College of New York, will be begun tomorrow afternoon instead of today, on account of a delay in Dr. Strayer's arrival. Dr. Strayer has been floodbound out in Kansas, where he has been lecturing.

Two lectures will be given each school day this week, one at 9 o'clock in the morning and one at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

TO PICK ENDEAVOR DELEGATES.

Christian Young People to Attend District Meet at Cameron This Week.

A special meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Christian church has been called for tomorrow night to finish the selection of delegates to the district meeting of the Christian Endeavor at Cameron, June 25, 26 and 27. One more delegate is yet to be selected.

Those already chosen are Miss Bessie Curnutt, Miss Thella Hogue, John Ross and John McDougal. H. J. Becker will also attend, but not as a delegate, he being a former district officer.

TO GET ROAD MONEY SOON.

Hughes Already Starts Special Culvert Work—Expect Fund July 1.

In anticipation of the \$50,000 fund voted by Hughes township this spring, preliminary work on the construction of new concrete culverts has been begun in that section of the county. Districts will be formed in other townships and a supervisor selected to oversee the work.

The final orders for the bonds are being prepared today by County Clerk Fred J. Yeomans for forwarding to the state auditor for approval. That is the final lap of the steps that must be taken before the money is finally turned over to the township.

HOPKINS COMES FOR GAME.

Maryville Will Play Postponed Game at Normal Grounds Tomorrow Afternoon.

The base ball game between Hopkins and the week-day local team, postponed last Thursday on account of rain, will be played, beginning at 4 o'clock, tomorrow afternoon on the Normal diamond, barring further rains. The grounds are drying fast and a fairly good diamond is anticipated by tomorrow.

The probable line-ups:
Hopkins—Sargent, c; Thomas, p; Morris, lb; Ashmore, 2b; Clutter, ss; Kime, 3b; Roberts, lf; Bock, rf; Miller, rf.
Maryville—Hagey, c; Wakeman, p; Mastellar, lb; Vaughn, 2b; Palfreyman, ss; Wray, 3b; Vandersloot, lf; E. Adams, cf; Alley, rf.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; slightly cooler tonight.

FORCE SLAVS BACK

AUSTRO-GERMANS NEAR LEMBERG, GALICIA CAPITAL.

RUSS LOSE HARD FIGHT

Russians' Advance Into Poland for Naught—Kaiser in Command of Teutons in Death Struggle.

London, June 21.—After seven weeks' battering across Galicia, during which the Russians have been thrown back more than 150 miles, the Austro-Germans are today as close to Lemberg as were the Germans to Paris after their first dash across France last fall.

Never, perhaps, since before the battle of the Marne, have the Teutonic allies appeared so confident of success. Having failed in their original plan of crushing France, and then turning to Russia, they have reversed the order of their strategy and now, judging by the expenditure of life and ammunition in Galicia, they have pinned their whole faith in so paralyzing the Russian army as to permit of the throwing of a tremendous weight of men and metal into the western theater, there either to break through the Franco-British line or force an interminable period of sanguinary warfare.

Kaiser in Command. A dispatch from Copenhagen says that the German emperor himself has taken supreme command of the Galician campaign, establishing his headquarters in Silesia, as near to the front as practicable.

Meanwhile the German official communication records the further progress of the Austro-German forces toward Lemberg, both to the north and south of the city. It claims that the Russians have been cleared from parts of the Dnieper to the south.

The great question England and its allies are asking is whether Grand Duke Nicholas, commanding the Russian forces, can successfully emulate Joffre's tactics of last fall and check the Austro-Germans at the gates of Lemberg.

What Optimists Think.

Optimists point out that the grand duke checked them almost at the gates of Warsaw, just as General Joffre stopped the Germans before Paris and Field Marshal Sir John French stopped them before Ypres, Dunkirk and Calais.

It is argued further that even should Lemberg fall, the Russians can drop back to equally formidable positions, utilizing the rivers and swamps and other advantages of the terrain, and it is the British contention that they could thus hold out for months. England and France in the meantime sending to their aid men and munitions if necessary.

Whether Russia has sufficient ammunition to meet the present strain is a question which cannot be answered in England, although the London papers say frankly that the shortage is acute.

One of the papers characterizes the situation in Galicia as "Russia's supreme emergency," and public interest is centered in that theater, notwithstanding the hard fighting in progress along the western front. The sound of guns is audible at Lemberg and possibly this week will see the culmination of one of the most interesting phases of the great war.

Italians Take Malborget.

Italian and Austrian raids from the sea, an Italian attack from the air, and the fall of the Austrian fortress of Malborget marked the day's activities between the two forces of King Emmanuel and Emperor Francis Joseph.

The results of the sea and air raids are unimportant in comparison to the capture of Malborget, which dominates important passes and peaks in the Carnic Alps.

Describing the damage done to the fort by the heavy Italian guns, General Cadorna reported to the Italian war office that shells tore great holes in the outer works of the fortress and sent part of the stone defenses tumbling in ruins.

Not only have the Italian forces won success in this region, but they also have progressed in the fighting along the Isonzo.

In France the allied forces report gains at various points. The French have captured several additional German trenches around Souchez and in Alsace have made a considerable advance, occupying among other places the town of Metzeral, which the Germans set on fire before their evacuation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sipes spent the day Sunday with friends at Savannah.

AUTOS COLLIDE; TWO HURT

High Hedge Prevents View, so Mrs. E. L. Dakan and Mrs. C. D. Hooker Suffer—Damage Cars.

Mrs. E. L. Dakan, ten miles southwest of Maryville, is in St. Francis hospital today with a severed leader, artery and nerve of the left leg, slightly below the knee, and Mrs. C. D. Hooker, Maryville, had the wrist of her right arm sprained, as a result of a head-on automobile accident three miles southwest of the city, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The accident occurred at Embree's corner, where a high hedge fence obstructs a view around the corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Dakan and three children were on their return from Harmony, where they attended the homecoming celebration, while Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hooker and daughter, Halcyon, and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hooker were driving towards Maryville. Both are said to have given warning as they neared the corner, but neither driver heard the other's signal. The crash of the two cars occurred directly at the turn.

Mrs. Dakan was thrown either against the windshield or the speedometer, which caused the injury. Occupants of both cars were badly shaken up. Mrs. Hooker had her arm sprained by it being forced against the back of the rear seat.

Both automobiles were considerably damaged. Dakan was driving a Ford and Hooker at Mitchell car. The front lights of both machines were crashed, the fenders bent, the windshields broken and spring to the front axle strained. The Ford car, however, was driven in to Maryville on its own power.

A slight rain or mist was falling at the time of the accident, which also tended to obstruct a view of the road ahead, and perhaps muffled the warning of each car. The injury to Mrs. Dakan is not considered serious.

TO GIVE FREE RECITAL.

Piano-Violin Concert by Conservatory Faculty at M. E. Church, July 8.

Miss Bernice Rice, a pianist, and Miss Callie Thompson, violinist, of the Maryville Conservatory faculty, will give a concert Thursday night, July 8, at the First Methodist church. No admission will be charged to the recital.

Both musicians have joined the Conservatory faculty since the beginning of the new term's work. Miss Rice came from Emporia, Kan., where she had been head of the piano department in the Emporia State Normal school for four years past. Miss Rice has studied in the best schools of the United States, including study under Rafael Joseffy of New York and Madame Fannie Bloomfield Zeisler of Chicago. In 1910 Miss Rice went to Berlin, Germany, where she studied for a year under Prof. Paul Goldschmidt.

Miss Thompson came to Maryville from St. Joseph. For five years past she has been a pupil of Mort S. Morse of Kansas City, one of the best known violin instructors in the west. A Conservatory orchestra will be organized under the direction of Miss Thompson. Later in the summer a faculty recital, in which all the Conservatory teachers will participate, will be given.

ELMO LIST TO IOWANS 1 to 9.

Shenandoah Second Team Won on 3 Hits—Elmo Fanned 18.

Although Dale, pitching for Elmo, "fanned" eighteen men and allowed but three hits, the Shenandoah, Ia., team defeated the Elmo team at Elmo yesterday afternoon by the score of 9 to 1. Elmo players got four hits but lost the game on inopportune hitting and eight costly errors.

Battery for Elmo was Dale and Crowden, Battery for Shenandoah was Baldwin and McIntosh.

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It is said that an endowed peace organization has arranged to put on a peace campaign this year, and to stage more than 1500 Chautauqua lectures. Better send them all to Europe. People here are all peaceful now and will continue to be if let alone.

The water question in Maryville has been temporarily solved. A good shower every afternoon, followed by a gully-washer at night will relieve the board of all further worry. For the present the water question is in a state of solution, and everything else soon will be unless the weather man changes his behavior.

A man has been found who would rather stay in jail in Moberly than not stay at all. A judge gave him the alternative of leaving town or going to jail. He went to jail. He probably figured that it was only a question of time when he would land in some other jail, and he might as well save the walk.

A Denver man who recently died left a peculiar will, but one which may prove a blessing in disguise to the beneficiaries. He left two sons and a considerable fortune. The boys are to receive \$500 each at once, and at the end of each year thereafter as much as they have saved during the year. If they have accumulated a thousand dollars each during the year, they are to get a thousand each additional, but if they have squandered what they have they get nothing. The will is that of a German, who explains in it that he desires to encourage in his boys, after his death, habits of industry and thrift.

RUNNING LOW.

From the report of the receivers of the Wabash railroad filed with the court last week, it would appear that the receivers have been no more successful in laying up a surplus than the former stockholders' management. Instead of liquidating the debts, they have been increased. Of course, we do not know to what extent the road has been improved nor what amount has been laid up in betterments, but the report shows a total cash on hand of only \$12,003.43, which would not last more than about twelve minutes in paying legitimate operating expenses. The road has been ordered sold Wednesday, and a reorganization, we understand, has been perfected to that end.

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Dried Beef, sliced, reg. 50c 40c
Boiled Ham, sliced on our machine, regular 50c value - 40c

Forsyth's
Quality Market

The report of the receivers shows resources of cash on hand and due from other railroads, individuals and companies of \$3,892,429.69; supplies and materials on hand worth \$1,750,000, and unearned premiums on insurance amounting to \$28,887.16. Against this are liabilities as follows: Receiver's certificates and interest, \$16,428,500; due to railroads, individuals and companies for supplies, \$6,436,742.99; due to banks for money loaned, \$333,550; due to employees for wages, \$1,633,308.36; due to railroads, individuals and companies on traffic balances, \$1,531,583.61; interest on bonds accrued but not yet due, \$685,000; receiver's equipment notes, \$734,000, or a total of considerably more than eleven million dollars besides the receiver's certificates and the outstanding bonds.

THEOLOGICAL STUDENT HOME.

Ralph Farmer Arrives from Oberlin College to Spend Summer Here.

Ralph Farmer, a student at Oberlin college, Oberlin, O., has arrived in Maryville to spend the summer visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farmer. Mr. Farmer is a student in the theological department, and during the summer months he will have charge of two churches in the St. Joseph presbytery, preaching at the Walkup Grove and Napier churches.

TO HAVE CELEBRATION.

Colored People Will Hold One This Year at the Fair Grounds if They Can Raise the Money.

The colored people will hold their celebration on August 4, probably at the fair grounds. A soliciting committee was out today raising money for the celebration, and they are wanting \$700. Horse racing will be had at the celebration in addition to speaking, band music, and a number of other features. A night program will also be arranged for at the fair grounds.

PLAN A GUILFORD CONCERT.

Ravenwood Orchestra to Present Musical Friday Night on Return from Savannah.

The Ravenwood orchestra will give a classical musical program in the opera house at Guilford next Friday night, June 25. Charles DeLong and K. Tebow head the management of the orchestra.

The concert will be given by the Ravenwood musicians on their return from Savannah, where they are to assist in the Epworth League convention next Friday.

Guests of Mrs. Perrin.

Lona Perrin of Des Moines, Ia., arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. Alice R. Perrin. Mr. Perrin is employed on the Des Moines Register-Leader, and will spend a ten days' vacation in Maryville. His sister, Mrs. D. R. McLeod, and family of Hutchinson, Kan., will arrive in Maryville Monday night to spend a fortnight.

To Spend Vacation in Chicago.

Miss Frances Miller, stenographer for Moore Bros., left today on a two weeks' vacation in Chicago, where she will visit her sisters, Misses Verda and Mabel Miller. On their return she will be accompanied by Miss Verda Miller, who will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Miller.

Mrs. Harry Snyder and daughter, Lucile, went to St. Joseph Sunday to spend a few days visiting her sister, Mrs. A. D. McHenry, and family. Mr. Snyder accompanied them and spent the day there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanson and daughter, Ruth, and Mrs. Hanson's mother, Mrs. T. A. Shipley of Sioux City, Ia., who is visiting them, spent Sunday at Rosendale with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Baum.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Roy Ellis, Diagonal, Ia.22
Ica May Applegate, Hopkins.18
Thomas O'Brien, Ravenwood.over 21
Katherine McCaffrey, Maryville, over 18

Defer Guilford-Rosendale Game.

The base ball game scheduled to be played at Guilford yesterday afternoon between Guilford and Rosendale was postponed on account of wet grounds.

My Optical Parlor

Has been recently fitted with new furnishings and I am better prepared than ever to make the testing of your eyes a pleasure to you. The very best authorities recommend the system for testing I use. Come in.

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Produces more loaves of good
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The best all purpose flour milled
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40c sack fresh Graham Flour for. 30c
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Mammoth-size Florida Pineapple. 15c
Large size Florida Pineapple, 2 for 25c
Medium size Florida Pineapple. 10c

Fresh Raspberries daily, price low.
No. 10 pails (1.50 size) pure Hog
Lard \$1.20

No. 5 pails (75c size) pure Hog Lard
for 63c
No. 3 pails (45c size) pure Hog Lard
for 38c

John Morrell's light lean selected 30c
Breakfast Bacon, lb. 22c
2-lb cans Red Pitted Cherries, solid
pack, 2 for 25c

Our 35c quality California Table
Peaches, 2 1/2-lb cans, very finest to
be had, 3 cans for 65c

No. 1 cans Sliced Peaches, for cream,
3 for 25c
Golden Wedding Coffee, 1-lb sealed
cans, nothing better, 35c, or 3
for \$1.00

Golden Wedding Coffee cans contain
valuable coupons.
Dr. Price's 50c cans Cream Baking
Powder, 8c, 2 for 75c

Hershey's finest Baking Chocolate,
1/2-lb cakes, only 15c
Dromedary brand Dates, 3 pkgs for 25c
Dromedary brand Instant Tapioca, 3
pkgs for 25c

9 Bars Lenox Soap for 25c
with an order for other
goods. Don't overlook this
good trade. Lenox is the
standard by which most
other soaps are measured
for quality.

Fresh Roasted Whole Grain Rio Coffee,
2 lbs. 25c; 8 lbs. \$1.00
Pimento Cheese, Jar 15c
Brick or Swiss Cheese, lb. 25c

Quaker Corn Meal, sterilized, 2 pkgs
for 15c
Extra large jars Dried Beef 25c
10c pkgs Ivory Powdered Starch, 2
for 15c
10c tall cans Pet Milk, 2 for 15c

New Crystal Wax Dry Onions, 7 lbs
for 25c
Small cans Finest Quality Sliced or
Grated Pineapple 8c
Imperial Valley Canteloupes, large
size, 3 for 25c
Fine New Tomatoes, 3 lbs for 25c

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PLAN TALK EACH MORNING

Best Talent to Appear in Chautauqua
Then—A Specialist East Day
Promised.

A distinct innovation is going to be sprung at Chautauqua this year. Instead of the morning hour lecturer who stayed five days and delivered five lectures, as heretofore, there will be five specialists this year, each remaining at the Chautauqua one day only.

These five specialists are Hon. Yutaka Minakuchi, who will speak on the "Men and Religion Forward Movement;" Dr. F. Q. Brown on "The Economic Value of Missions;" Mr. W. B. Dickinson on "Supervised Public Playgrounds;" H. R. McKean on "The



W. B. DICKINSON.

Problems of the Rural Church," and Col. W. Lambin on "Our Public Schools."

Each of these men has qualified as a specialist in his line and will have a great message of tremendous value to offer to those interested in their respective subjects. There can be no doubt that constructive work of great importance will be done by these men.

NEW STATE LAWS EFFECTIVE.

Two Hundred Measures on Statute Books—Ninety-Day Period Ends.

All of the laws enacted by the forty-eighth general assembly that did not bear emergency clauses became effective Saturday, that being the expiration of the ninety-day period after the sine die adjournment of the session.

One of the most important of the new laws is the one providing a method for filling by appointment any vacancy that may occur in the office of United States senator. Until this law was passed there was no method of filling such a vacancy from any cause.

Another important new law to publishers is that prohibiting the publication in any manner of "untrue, misleading or deceptive advertisements."

The session acts were compiled, printed and distributed several weeks ago, about thirty days in advance of the usual time of distribution.

There are more than 200 of the new laws.

TO SELL WABASH AT AUCTION.

Railroad to Be Put on Block Wednesday—Liabilities Are Thirty Millions.

The liabilities of the Wabash railroad are \$30,579,382, while its cash on hand is little more than \$12,000, according to a report filed in the federal court at St. Louis by Edward B. Pryor and Edward F. Kearney, receivers of the Wabash.

The total of sums owed the company is \$3,880,426, the report says. The report was filed in accordance with the court's decree ordering the sale of the road.

The Wabash will be sold under the hammer at noon Wednesday in St. Louis.

Farm Crops Prices Decrease.

The level of prices paid producers of the United States for the principal crops decreased about 1.8 per cent during May; in the past seven years the price level has increased during May 3.3 per cent.

On June 1 the index figure of crop prices was about 6.1 per cent higher than a year ago, 21.5 per cent higher than two years ago, and 6.0 per cent higher than the average of the past seven years on June 1.

Died at the Hospital.

Daniel Clary of Lenox, Ia., who has been at St. Francis hospital for the past three or four days, died there Sunday morning about 6 o'clock. His remains were taken to Lenox today at noon and burial will take place there. Mr. Clary was about 70 years old and was a bachelor. No relatives survive so far as is known.

Hopkins Defeats Clarinda.

The Hopkins base ball team, which plays the Maryville team here tomorrow, and which lost to the Federals here recently in a shut-out game, defeated the team of Clarinda, Ia., at Hopkins yesterday 9 to 2.

Burlington Junction Wins Game.
The Burlington Junction base ball team won by a score of 13 to 1 against Imogene, Ia., at Burlington Junction yesterday afternoon.

Miss New York Will Wear This Model This Week For The First Time



"La Pompadoure"

An advanced party dress model, carried out in FLOWERED CHIFFON TAFFETA, with Filet Lace Fichu, inset in overskirt and flounce on drop skirt. The effect is charming, and its beauty is heightened by the touches on contrasting color in the velvet ribbon trimmings.

It is priced \$21.75

The Store That is **Haines** Anxious to Please You

A Letter from J. T. Neal.

J. T. Neal, in writing to The Democrat-Forum from Paragould, Ark., writes as follows:

Editor Democrat-Forum: I will try to write a few lines as to the weather and crop prospects as they are now, which might interest some of you. First of all, I will speak of our winter. The old timers say they never saw one as hard as the past one. One morning the thermometer registered 15 below zero, and several mornings it was 3 and 4 below. Our first snow fell the eighth day of December, and we had plenty from then on. Our biggest snow was ten inches deep. Spring opened warm without much rain and everybody went to work in the field.

We had no late frost to kill the fruit. We had to thin out peaches and then many of the trees are breaking. Some of the apples are blighted, but there will be more than enough for the home market. The woods are full of wild blackberries just beginning to ripen. Everyone who had a strawberry patch has had plenty of fruit, but they are gone long ago.

The wheat crop is good and most of it is in shock. Oats are extra good and will be ready to cut this week. Corn is fine, lots of it laid by, and some of it in tassel with a few silks here and there. The hay crop is good and a few pieces of timothy are cut. Alfalfa has been cut once and ready to cut again. We have had lots of rain this summer, but not enough at any one time to keep workers out of the field for over a day at a time.

The June corn is coming fine. I planted 4 acres last Tuesday that will be big enough to plow this week. The rest of my corn I will lay by this week. There are a lot of stock pens and soy beans sown here this spring. They are now about knee high. The early potatoes are as good as I ever saw, and the gardens, too.

The large timber mills will start work again with full crew about the last of the month, the first time in eighteen months. This will give employment to several hundred men. Everything is well on the boom and lots of improvement being done in the town, and everyone is up to the minute with a good crop.

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As the distributors for a certain Fashion Club of New York, it is our privilege to present each week their latest effort, simultaneously with its appearance in New York City. In other words, the store, through this organization, becomes a Fifth Avenue shop that has widened its neighborhood.

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The dress of the week from this headquarters of style is shown herewith.

Let us show you this dress, as an example of what buying from a store with affiliations such as this Fashion Club means to you. We will not have to discuss the model's merits. You will immediately see them for yourself, and be as anxious to have the dress as we are to please you.

the damage it does to steam boilers generally amounts to little.

Waters having a high iron content have in some places, where they have been used as city supplies, caused an immense amount of trouble and expense, for they favor the growth of Crenothrix to such a degree that the water pipes become clogged with iron sheaths of that organism. The removal of iron from water is sometimes easy and sometimes very difficult.

Ice cream and strawberry social at the Mt. Airy church Wednesday evening, June 23. 31-22

Takes Vacation to North.

Homer Weber, clerk at Pearson's pharmacy, returned this morning from a week's vacation spent visiting Mrs. Weber at Clarinda, Ia., friends in Omaha, and on an excursion to Des Moines and St. Paul.

Friends' Opinions

Convincing proof of Efficiency in our Banking Service is the fact that a large part of our new business arises from the recommendation of present patrons

Frequently new patrons tell us that they are establishing relations with this institution because we have so satisfactorily served their friends.

A consultation with one of our Officers will convince you of the superior Service we offer.

The First National Bank
And The
Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co.



THE ETERNAL CITY

By Hall Caine

Fern Theatre, Wednesday

Remember Our Big Pre-Inventory Sale

CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THIS WEEK

Watch Our Windows for Bargains

GRAHAM'S
D. E. Hotchkin, Mgr.

SET RECITAL DAY AHEAD.

Methodists Will Hold Musical Event Thursday Night Instead of Friday.

The recital to be given at the First Methodist church by Ernest L. Cox of Kansas City and Miss Carrie Margaret Baker of this city will be given Thursday night instead of Friday night, it was announced yesterday. The date was changed on account of a play to be given by the Ladies' Aid society in the First Christian church Friday night.

Here from Plattsburg.

Mrs. A. Swike and small son, Meril, of Plattsburg arrived in Maryville Saturday to make a visit with Mrs. Swike's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nussbaum.

Many Attend Clam Bake.

A number of men of Maryville went to St. Joseph yesterday to attend the annual clam bake and celebration held at Lake Contrary by the Eagles lodge of that city.

To Teach at Champaign.

Miss Mabel Hydder has been elected to teach the Champaign school, between Ravenwood and Orrsburg, next term. Walter Campbell taught there last term.

35 Potatoes from "Hill."

Mrs. William Bosley, living north of the Culverston grocery store, on East First street, got thirty-five potatoes out of one "hill" this morning. They were about the size of a hen egg.

TO FEED FAMILY YEAR, \$510.87.

Government Estimates Living Costs Increase \$10 past Year—Highest Ever.

The cost of living is higher than ever before in the United States, government statistics show, and is increasing each year. In 1914 the year's cost of filling the market basket of the average American working man's family was \$6.68 higher than it was in 1913, and \$60.43 higher than it was in 1907, calculating on relative price figures announced today by the federal bureau of labor statistics.

The figures are based on the bureau's most recent investigation of retail prices. These figures represent prices of fifteen articles aggregating approximately two-thirds of expenditure for food by the average working man's family. The cost of these articles in 1913 was \$333.90, making the 1914 cost \$340.58; in 1907 it was \$280.15.

Calculating these amounts as two-thirds of the working man's family food expenditures, the total spent for food in these years would be:

In 1913, \$500.85; 1914, \$510.87, and 1907, \$410.20. The bureau's investigation covered prices in forty-four important industrial cities, representing thirty-three states.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Mrs. Eugenie H. Schenck and Miss Kate Schenck went to Kansas City yesterday morning to spend several days visiting.

Address Harmony Homecomers



Dr. Stokely Fisher, Kansas City

HUM DRUMS TO GIVE A PLAY.

Rehearsals for "Marrying Jane," to Be Given June 30, Now Under Way.

Rehearsals for the two-act musical comedy, "Marrying Jane," to be given by the Hum Drum club June 30, are well under way, under the direction of Miss Besse Scott. The operetta promises to be one of the best home talent performances given for several years. The play will be staged at the Empire theater for the benefit of the rest rooms.

The cast, as announced today, is composed of Misses Glen Hotchkiss, Hildred Hanna and Ora Barmann, Jesse Miller, Jr., Fred Lewis, Fleming Carpenter and Eugene Cummins.

The chorus will comprise Misses Martha Koch, Ora Barmann, Blanche Shipp, Dale Hoffman, Marjorie Wilfley, Katherine Carpenter, Frank Cummins, Kenneth Strawn, James Philp, Harold Staples, Eugene Cummins and Perry Crandall, with Miss Amy Clark and Frank Schumacher as soloists.

Miss Mildred Robinson will be featured in the Bubble chorus. Specialties will be given between acts by Misses Amy Clark and Blanche Shipp, Frank Cummins and Fleming Carpenter.

WAR DECREASES ACID SUPPLY

Benzonate of Soda, Mineral Oil, and Other Drugs Advance in Price.

Germany is the great producer of the world's supply of carboic acid while England exports a small quantity of it. A year ago carboic acid could be imported and sold to druggists for 16 cents a pound. The price now is \$1.65 per pound in New York and the greatly increased price has resulted in a great decrease in the demand and use of it in America.

The price of benzonate of soda, another drug extensively used, has increased from 36c to \$2.40 per pound in a year, and salicylate of soda, prescribed by physicians in treating rheumatism, has advanced from 42 cents to \$2.00 per pound.

Russian mineral oil, dug in Russia and refined in Germany, a stomach and bowel medicine, has advanced from 80 cents to \$6 per gallon which makes the use of it almost prohibitive. Only one shipment of carboic acid has reached America since the war broke out.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

E. L. Ferritor, local agent for the Wabash, attended a railroad meeting in Moberly Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Christie spent Sunday in St. Joseph.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

ASSAULTED CHILD; FINED \$5

James Palmer, Negro, Found Guilty by Police Court Jury—Appeals to Circuit Court.

James Palmer, a negro, was fined \$5 and costs by a jury in police court at 3 o'clock this afternoon, after a trial before Mayor U. S. Wright, which began at 11 o'clock this morning, for common assault on Pauline Palmer, his daughter, recently. He filed notice of appeal to circuit court here in September. His bond was fixed at \$200 pending trial there.

The costs in the case will amount to about \$23. The charge of common assault placed against him by his wife was dismissed. The jury was composed of R. P. Hosmer, Frank Reavis, Charles Moore, Joseph Cornell, Walter Wray and Charles Kiser.

The defendant was represented by Charles McCaffrey, and the city by W. H. Crawford.

KEEP FREIGHT CARS IN USE.

Farmers Should Avoid Unnecessary Delay in Loading or Unloading.

Because a shortage of freight cars may, at certain seasons, mean to the farmer a total loss of his year's labor, the importance of his insisting upon more stringent regulations to prevent the unnecessary detention of cars by shippers is pointed out in a new publication of the department.

At the present time some of the state demurrage codes contain provisions apparently designed to give the farmer special concessions.

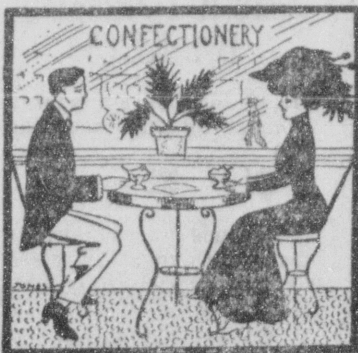
The man who is backward in loading or unloading the freight car he has ordered contributes just that much to increase the shortage throughout the country, from which the farmer is likely to suffer more than any other business man. If the farmer is willing to waive all concessions to demand the abolition of all concessions made in favor of others.

In the great majority of instances in which cars are not unloaded promptly the delay arises simply from the fact that the shipper is deliberately using the freight car as a storage warehouse. The economic waste in this is obvious. The ordinary storage warehouse does not have to be equipped with automatic couplers and air brakes, for which somebody has to pay and which earn nothing while they are lying idle.

If, therefore, shippers persist in wasting the earning capacity of this valuable equipment, they should be made to pay for the waste themselves and not pass the burden on to the rest of the community. As has been said, it is usually possible to load and unload a car within a reasonable time, and there is no reason why the whole community should pay the storage bills for any one individual shipper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ray and daughter, Beatrice, living near Conception, visited Sunday with John Mahoney and family.

Mrs. Melissa Casteel and J. B. Taylor attended the home-coming services at Harmony church Sunday.



Quick Service and High Quality

We are always ready and glad to serve you with the purest Ice Cream and highest grade Confections.

New York Candy Kitchen

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK
Phones—Office 42 Home 658

Eastern Star to Meet.

The Eastern Star chapter will meet in regular session Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. All officers are requested to attend as there will be special work.

Called Meeting Thursday.

There will be a called meeting of the Twentieth Century club at the Elks Club Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as there is important business.

Mrs. Wolfert Hostess.

Miss Carrie Margaret Baker and her guest, Miss Frances Montgomery of Skidmore, were the guests of honor at an informal bridge and luncheon given Saturday afternoon by Miss Baker's aunt, Mrs. Edward F. Wolfert.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton, South Depot street, entertained at dinner yesterday Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Holliday and son Otha, daughter Ladean, and Charles Middleton, Otha Middleton and Miss Ada Lea Middleton.

Dinner Party.

Miss Ulah Crawford, living west of Barnard, was the hostess of a dinner party given Thursday noon, when her guests were Misses Eva and Elsie Davis and Miss Grace Elliott. Miss Eva Davis spent the week end with Miss Crawford.

Married by Rev. Harkness.

Roy Ellis of Diagonal, Ia., and Miss Ica May Applegate of Hopkins were married at 7:30 o'clock Saturday at the home of Mrs. Louella Landfather, 422 West Fourth street, by Rev. S. D. Harkness of the First Presbyterian church. The young couple were accompanied to Maryville by Misses Cora Lowden and Lottie Fitz and Messrs. Tom Ingram and Edgar Miller of Hopkins. After a few days visit in St. Joseph the couple will make their home in Diagonal, Ia.

For Miss Lindholm.

Miss Eleanor Smith will entertain with a dinner at 6:30 o'clock this evening in honor of Miss Lillian Lindholm of Ottawa, Ill., who is visiting Maryville friends. Miss Smith will have the assistance of Miss Geneva Wilfley in entertaining her guests. The other guests will be Miss Alice Porter, Miss Marie Reuillard, Miss Wilma Mills, Miss Jennie Garrett, Miss Bernice Rice, Miss Grace Sturm, Miss Amelia Kuenster of Denver, Col.; Mrs. Adelaide Kortrecht, Mrs. M. J. Estes, Mr. P. O. Landon, Mr. Don Brannan.

Euchre Party.

Mrs. S. G. Gillam entertained a number of guests with a euchre and luncheon Saturday afternoon. The guests were Mrs. Conrad Yehle, Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. C. C. Hellmers, Misses Rose and Lenore Schumacher, Mrs. Hal Hooker, Mrs. T. L. Wilderman, Mrs. R. F. Hamblen, Mrs. N. Sturm, Mrs. Cleve Funk, Mrs. A. A. Brewer, Mrs. J. W. Toel, Mrs. Will Montgomery, Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, Mrs. Luther Forsyth, Mrs. L. E. Dean, Miss Helen Leffler, Mrs. Berney Harris, Mrs. C. D. Hooker, Miss Kittie Gremis, Miss Margaret McDougal, Mrs. Edward L. Townsend, Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Miss Clara Bellows, Mrs. George B. Baker and Miss Bess Todd.

Birthday Dinner Party.

A few of the children and grandchildren gathered Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wray of Pickering with well filled baskets to honor Mrs. Wray's seventieth birthday, which occurs Wednesday, June 23. During the day music was furnished by some of those present. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wray, Mrs. W. N. Wray, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carl Wray of Guilford, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Berkey of Orrsburg, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McGinnis of Maryville, Hazel and Karle Parker, Mary Wray, Fay Wray, Wray Parker, Marvin McGinnis and Carl Wray, Jr. The other children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Wray could not attend on account of high water and rainy weather.

Mission Circle Meets.

The annual election of officers of the Mission Circle of the First Christian church was held Saturday afternoon at a meeting held in the church parlors. Those chosen were Mrs. A. K. Frank, president; Mrs. Ellis Cook, first vice president; Mrs. Newton Hagins, second vice-president; Mrs. Lee Crossan, treasurer; Mrs. Jessie Swann, secretary; Mrs. F. P. Robinson, musical director; Mrs. F. L. Flynt and Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, organists. Plans were made for the midsummer outing, which is to be held during July, after which the program was given. Mrs. William Wade Smith acted as leader. Readings were given by Miss Besse Curnutt, Mrs. Newton Hagins, Mrs. H. B. Schuler and Miss Mattie Dykes. A letter from Mrs. H. A. Denton to the Circle was read by Mrs. Harry Todd, and Mrs. F. P. Robinson gave a vocal solo.

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We have arranged on table in the Shoe Department a number of pairs of low shoes of broken lots, strap effects and colonial pumps, values up to \$3.50. Special to close out

\$2.00

B. O. G. Club Met Sunday.

The members of the mysterious B. O. G. Club, composed of several Maryville boys, who, from previous experience, have excellent reasons and qualifications for being joined thereto, took it upon themselves to be hosts at a picnic Sunday. They showed themselves to be royal entertainers, although only boys. The picnic was held at the Normal park Sunday noon. Those present including hosts and guests were: Russell Burris, Don Hagins, Dewey Saunders, "Bill" Van Cleve, Omer Lyle, Ellison Frank, Byron Costello, Francis Barmann, Claude Glass, Kenneth Van Cleve, Clark Evans, Martin Lewis, Aubrey Lyle.

FOR RENT—6-room house, 104 N. Walnut. Water and lights. Also 7-room flat over Reuillard's. Eldon Lloyd, 422 West First. 21-26

Band Concert Postponed.

The concert to have been given Saturday night at Clearmont by the Elmo band was postponed on account of the stormy weather. The concert will be given one night this week.

Here on Business Trip.

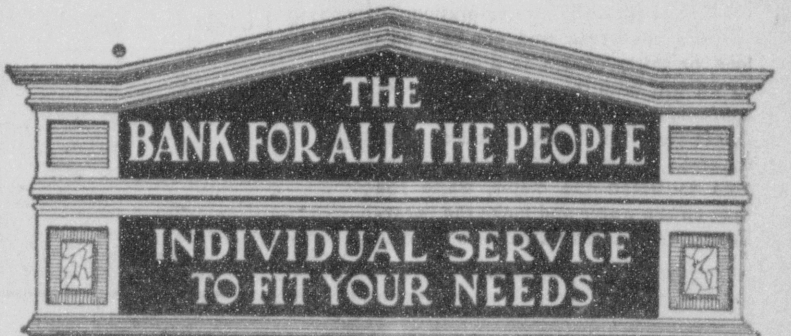
Will Price, manager of the Mutual telephone exchange of Quitman, spent today in Maryville on business.

Clyde Defeats Conception.

The Clyde base ball team defeated Conception Junction on its own diamond yesterday afternoon by a score of 9 to 4.

Miss Anna Bainum arrived home today from Kansas City, where she has been visiting since the close of the state university.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.



TAKE A LOOK

THOUSANDS of young men, spend four years in college and in the end are satisfied if they have learned the art of concentration and of giving better than just ordinary service.

Come in and see what our service is like if you are not a regular customer of this bank.

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Hammocks are really one of the summer necessities. Easily placed and always ready. They make a resting place for you in the coolest part of the yard or porch. We have a large line of the Chicago Hammocks ready for you to select from. As an inducement we are going to offer you a hammock at lower prices. You can now buy our \$1.25 for only \$1. Our \$4.00 Hammock for \$3.50. And a number of others ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$3.50

Croquet Sets

A Croquet Set will give real amusement to you and especially the children all summer long. Our 75c Croquet Set is an extra good one for the money, a big value. And we have them in other styles priced up to \$4.00. Now is the time to get one of these sets.

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The car might have beauty without comfort, or comfort without either beauty or economy—but when owners find all three combined in a high degree it is easy to understand their extraordinary enthusiasm.

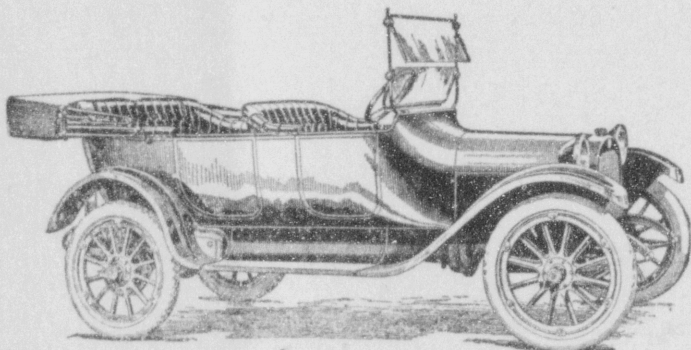
The maintenance cost is a source of real satisfaction to the owner. The consumption of gasoline is light and the tire expense is reasonable because the size of the tires is right for the weight of the car.

The motor is 30-35 horsepower. The price of the car complete is \$785 (f. o. b. Toledo).

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TO READ THE WATER METER.

Mechanism Can Be "Proved" and One Should Know How.

"How do I know that the water meter is correct?" This is a common query by the householder upon the receipt of a large bill. It reflects a natural attitude. The water meter is a complex piece of mechanism, and if the city department wanted to "put one over," how would the laymen know? Why, by testing the meter, and all that is necessary for this is a little patience and a quart measure. Here is the way to do it says the Kansas City Star.

Upon the face of the meter are five or more dials, which register the amount of water consumed, either in cubic feet or in gallons. These figures read up to the millions in figures, but what we want is the "proving hand," and if it is not marked you can discover it by turning on the water at a faucet and then watching the meter. The "proving hand" will move around ten times faster than any of the others, and it is supposed to register one cubic foot of water in one revolution.

There are seven and one-half gallons, or thirty quarts, in a cubic foot; so we will take the quart as the most convenient measure. Use only the faucet from which you intend to make the test. Station someone of the house hold to watch the meter, while you turn on the water and make the "proving hand" come directly over a selected

mark; then continue to let the water run, but measure it carefully in the quart receptacle until the observer at the meter has called out a complete turn of the proving hand.

By that time you should have measured thirty quarts. If you have measured more your meter is slow, and if you have measured less your meter is fast. If your measurement is one quart less or one quart more than thirty, your meter, for all practical purposes, is correct.

It Rained .23 Inch.

The rainfall Saturday night and early Sunday morning amounted to .04 of an inch, and that of yesterday afternoon and last night amounted to .19 of an inch, according to J. R. Brink.

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If there is anyone having this kind of work, I will satisfy you both in price and work.

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Commander of Squadron Ordered to Land Marines To Protect Americans.



Photo by American Press Association.

LIFE TERM TO FRANK INSTEAD OF DEATH

Georgia Governor Extends Clemency to Slayer.

Macon, Ga., June 21.—Leo M. Frank arrived in this city this morning under heavy guard on his way to the state farm at Milledgeville, Ga. Sheriff Mangum of Fulton county, who had Frank in charge, said that Frank's sentence had been commuted to life imprisonment by Governor Slaton.

The sheriff and his prisoner were transferred to an automobile and immediately left for the state farm. Frank was not handcuffed.

CAR ARBITERS TO MEET

MacLay Hoyne Chosen by Labor After Judge Scanlan Declines.

Chicago, June 21.—The first meeting of the board of arbitration to settle the street car controversy will be held tomorrow in the office of Mayor Thompson, who is to act as umpire.

The mayor sent out a call for the meeting, after he had been informed of the selection of State's Attorney MacLay Hoyne to represent the street car and elevated employees. The traction companies already have chosen Attorney James M. Sheehan as their representative on the arbitration board.

There was an element of surprise in the choice of Mr. Hoyne. The men had requested Judge Kickham Scanlan to act as their arbitrator, but he replied he had other work which would require his undivided attention.

Conditions in Mexico Deplorable.
Galveston, Tex., June 21.—Three hundred and ninety refugees from Mexico were landed in the United States from the United States army transport Buford after five days in quarantine off Galveston. Concerning Mexican conditions, all described the situation there as "deplorable" and many said that American intervention was the only solution of the problem.

Potter Girl Believed Drowned.
Chicago, June 21.—The two books entitled "A Strange Story" and "The New Machiavelli," which Miss Grace Stewart Potter carried when she disappeared a week ago, were found on the lake shore in Winnetka. The police believe Miss Potter has been drowned, whether with suicidal intent is not known.

Axman Suspect Captured.

Grand Island, Neb., June 21.—After searching the entire northwest central part of the state for a man supposed to be the one who on May 21 murdered Ada Swanson at Omaha by mauling her with an ax, capture by Ben Stuthoff, twenty-five years old, was finally effected at St. Paul.

Austria Appreciates Help of Americans
Washington, June 21.—Appreciation for gifts from Americans and other foreigners for distribution among the families of killed and wounded soldiers was expressed in a statement issued by the Austro-Hungarian embassy, quoting an official communication from Vienna.

Indiana Company Raising Belizadonna.
Greenfield, Ind., June 21.—Eli Lilly & Co., at their experimental farm, near Greenfield, are raising an unusual crop of belizadonna, the field of ten acres where the crop is being raised being probably the only one of its kind in the country.

Name Welshman War Buyer.
London, June 21.—D. A. Thomas, prominent Welsh colliery owner and one of the survivors of the Lusitania disaster, was named by the British government to go to the United States and Canada and negotiate war munitions contracts.

IMMIGRANTS STAY IN NEW YORK.

Statistics Show Few Go To Agricultural States—Less Are Naturalized

During the fiscal year 1914 only 23,891 immigrants were destined to the great agricultural states of Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota and Oklahoma, while 344,663, over one-fourth of the total immigration, was destined to New York state. The south Italians furnish the largest number of alien immigrants, but at the same time have the largest percentage returning home. In 1912, 135,830 entered, 96,880 (71 per cent) returned; in 1914, 251,612 entered, 72,767 (29 per cent) returned. Southern Italians in 1914 formed slightly over 20 per cent of the total immigration.

In 1914, 790,607 persons, or 65 per cent of the immigration, were destined to five states—New York, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Illinois and Pennsylvania. These same states contained 30.7 per cent of the population in the United States.

At no time since there has been a record of the foreign-born people in the United States have the North Atlantic and the North Central divisions contained less than 84 per cent of this element of our population.

For the decade ending 1910 nearly nine million people landed in the United States. This exceeds one-third of all the arrivals from Europe since 1820. These recent immigrants alone would repopulate the whole of New England and have 2,242,000 to spare, the latter number of itself being nearly equal to the present total population of Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Arizona and Nevada.

In 1914 1,218,000 arrived. This number would repopulate the states of Delaware, Idaho, Arizona, Nevada and Wyoming.

Between 1900 and 1910 the number of natives of northern and western Europe in the United States decreased from 7,016,000 to 6,749,000, while the population of southern and eastern Europeans increased from 1,832,000 to 5,048,000 during the same period.

Recent immigrants show a marked tendency to avoid acquiring citizenship through naturalization. In 1910 there were 2,266,535 foreign-born white males 21 years of age or over in the United States who had not even taken out first naturalization papers, while in 1900 the number was only 914,917. Putting it another way, in 1900 only 18.7 per cent of our eligible immigrant population had taken no step toward acquiring citizenship, while in 1910 more than 34 per cent had failed to do so. This argues a remarkable increase of those who have no intention of keeping an abiding interest in America's welfare.

Married at Kansas City.

Mark Bryant and Miss Bessie Colwell were married at Kansas City last Tuesday. Mark worked for the New York stores here at one time and made many good Plattsburg friends. The bride's home is at Burlington Junction, the groom's former home, and has visited Plattsburg friends during the groom's stay here. They will live in Colorado Springs.—Plattsburg Democrat.

Maitland 7, Graham 3.

The Graham baseball team lost to Maitland at Graham yesterday afternoon by a score of 3 to 7.

Deafness

Are You Deaf or Hard of Hearing?

Now is the ideal time to treat deafness. Ninety per cent of all deafness is caused by catarrh. Dr. Edwards of St. Louis has discovered and perfected an operation for catarrhal deafness which is remarkable for its many cures. There is no cutting and it is painless. I am now using this operation in Maryville with remarkable success. Every patient treated by me has been cured or greatly benefited.

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VILLA CHIEFTAIN DEFIES THE U. S.

Maytorena Objects to Landing of American Marines.

CARRANZA MAY BE OUSTED.

Constitutionalist May Be Eliminated From Mexican Politics Unless He Yields to Obregon and Other Officers—Four Cabinet Ministers Quit.

On Board U. S. Colorado, Guaymas, June 21.—The Colorado, with several hundred marines aboard to be used to aid, if necessary, American citizens in the Yaqui valley imperiled by Indians, arrived here and found that conditions in the valley were quiet. No recent attacks by Yaquis on foreigners have been reported.

Washington, June 21.—General Victoriano Carranza, original leader of the Mexican Constitutionalist movement, is face to face with a situation that may eliminate him as a factor in Mexican politics, unless he yields to the dictation of his commanding general, Alvaro Obregon, and other high officers in his army.

Official advices revealed that four of Carranza's cabinet ministers had resigned and that General Obregon was insisting on their retention, as well as the dismissal of the members to whom they were opposed.

Word also came to the American government that General Jose Maytorena, the Villa commander in Sonora, objected vigorously to the possible landing of American marines to rescue Americans in the Yaqui valley, indicating that he would regard such action as a hostile invasion. Inasmuch as Maytorena promised to send troops to the region to protect foreigners, the American government, which had decided to land marines only if absolutely necessary, it is understood, will consider the incident closed with the arrival of the Maytorena troops.

News that Carranza had removed his headquarters to the old isolated fortress, San Juan de Ulos, in the harbor of Vera Cruz, spread the impression that he feared an uprising against him in Vera Cruz. American warships lying in the harbor would give him asylum should he desire to escape, it was stated.

ENGLISH RECRUITS HALTED

Party of Twenty-six Quizzed and Then Freed at Chicago.

Chicago, June 21.—Federal officials intercepted a squad of twenty-six recruits for the British army bound from San Francisco to New York. They were headed by Lieutenant Kenneth Croft, who said he is on the way back to England to join his regiment. The men were questioned for several hours and then released. It is understood Lieutenant Croft agreed to remain in Chicago pending an investigation of alleged recruiting activities on the Pacific coast.

Three of the men dropped off the train en route to Chicago and two got away when the federal officials cordoned the crowd at the Union depot. The remaining twenty started east on a Michigan Central train. They said their destination was New York and that they would sail some time this week for England. Federal officials wired both Detroit and New York to be on the lookout for the crowd. Detroit officials were requested to see whether they would attempt to cross the river and get quickly into Canada to get away as soon as possible from the jurisdiction of the United States. All the men denied they had enlisted.

BECKER PLANS LAST PLEA

Appeal to Governor Discussed With Attorney in Death House.

Ossining, N. Y., June 21.—Charles Becker, sentenced to die next month for the murder of Herman Rosenthal, was visited in his cell in Sing Sing's death house by his counsel, Martin T. Manton of New York.

Mr. Manton remained with Becker half an hour discussing, it was inferred, the plan to appeal for clemency to Governor Whitman.

This, it is believed, is virtually Becker's only hope for escaping the electric chair, since the court of appeals declined to grant a reargument on the appeal from his second conviction.

Cape Haitien Taken by Government.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, June 21.—Cape Haitien was captured by government forces. Marines have been landed from the French cruiser Descartes. The city is calm. Dr. Sosolvo Bobo, leader of the revolutionists, and his followers are in flight toward the village of Trou.

Pope's Nephews at Front.

Rome, June 21.—The three nephews of Pope Benedict XV., the two Counts of Persico and Count Venier, are all with the army at the front. His brother, a retired admiral has been called to the colors and the admiral's only son a cadet, is shortly to be commissioned.

Belgian Refugees Come to U. S.

London, June 21.—Like the pilgrims of old, a little band of Belgian refugees from here for New York. They will start life anew on farms near Wilmington, N. C. Their homes in Belgium were destroyed.

"DAREDEVIL" NILES.

First American Aviator To Loop the Loop With a Passenger; New Record.



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STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League.	American League.
W. L. P.	W. L. P.
Chicago. 30 21 58	Chicago. 37 20 64
St. Louis. 32 26 52	Boston. 28 18 69
Phila. 28 23 59	Detroit. 34 24 58
Pittsburgh. 25 25 50	New York. 27 24 52
Boston. 24 28 42	Washington. 24 24 50
Brooklyn. 24 29 43	Cleveland. 21 32 39
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Cincinnati. 21 27 43	Phila. 19 34 35
Federal League.	American Ass'n.
Kan. City. 35 25 60	Ind. polis. 37 19 61
St. Louis. 31 21 59	Louisville. 30 25 54
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Brooklyn. 28 25 50	Milwaukee. 26 28 41
Newark. 28 25 50	Cleveland. 22 28 41
Buffalo. 21 23 35	Minneapolis. 22 30 42
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Western League.

W. L. P.	W. L. P.
D. Moines. 31 18 63	Lincoln. 22 24 47
Denver. 25 19 58	Wichita. 19 26 42
Topeka. 28 23 54	St. Joseph. 20 28 47
Omaha. 25 23 52	St. Joseph. 19 28 40

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League.	R. H. E.
At St. Louis. 0110000000-2 7 2	
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Crutcher-Gowdy; Meadows-Snyder.	
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Chicago. 32010000-6 8 0	
Altchison-Miller; Pierce-Bresnahan.	
At Cincinnati. 000000000-1 5 0	
Philadelphia. 000001100-2 6 0	
Cincinnati. 000001100-2 6 0	
Demaree-Killmer; Dale-Wingo.	

American League.

At Cleveland. 000000100-1 11 2	
Cleveland. 013101001-7 14 1	
Combe-O'Neill; Benz-Schalk.	
Second game. 000000000-0 5 0	
Chicago. 101001000-3 7 0	
Morton-Egan; Scott-Schalk.	
At Detroit. 000100000-1 7 0	
St. Louis. 000100000-1 7 0	
Detroit. 000000000-0 4 1	
Wellman-Arney; Dauss-McKee.	

Western League.

At Omaha. 000002000-2 4 1	
Denver. 000000000-1 4 3	
Mitchell-Spahr; Blodgett-Kruezer.	
Second game. 00000312-6 9 1	
Omaha. 000001000-1 8 4	
Denver. 000000000-1 8 4	
Thomson-Krueger; Harrington-Spahr.	
At St. Joseph. 000000001-5 10 3	
St. Joseph. 000001120-4 10 0	
Lincoln. 000001120-4 10 0	
Gaspar-Price; Powell-Yantz.	

At Wichita. R. H. E.

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Grover-Monroe; Brown-Griffith.	
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Geist-Griffith; Sanders-Munroe.	

At Des Moines. R. H. E.

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Vance-Tonneman; Mogridge-Breen.	
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Lakoff-Tonneman; Musser-Breen.	

American Association.

Indianapolis. 2; Columbus. 3.	
Milwaukee. 4; St. Paul. 2.	
Louisville. 1; Cleveland. 6.	
Kansas City. 6; Minneapolis. 0.	

Turkish Snipers Pick Off Officers.

Athens, June 21.—A great proportion of officer losses to the French and English forces in the Dardanelles are due to the activity of the Turkish snipers, who have special instructions to pick out the officers.

Russia to Corner Coffee.

Petrograd, June 21.—To conserve the nation's coffee supply the minister of finance announced plans for a government coffee monopoly.

WANT ADS

For Results. For Results

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate for three days, five cents; insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Experienced girl wants housework. Call this office. 21-23

M'CORMICK'S Standard Binder Twine, best in America, at 9c. Of course, Holt for High Prices.

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Room over the Mark Turner store, in East Third street. Inquire Miss Schenck, Democrat-Forum office. 3-1f

FOR RENT—7-room house on East First street. Call Farmer's phone 17. 18-21.

FOR RENT—Furnished room downstairs, men preferred. 522 North Market. Hanamo phone 3344. 18-21.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—500 bu. corn. C. C. Graves, 1 mile west of town. 29-1f.

FOR SALE—A coaster brake bicycle. Phone 519. 19-22

FOR SALE—Bed and davenport, 3 rocking chairs, table, dining room table and chairs. See Mrs. W. H. Whitney, Ream Hotel. 18-21.

Lost.

LOST—Black and gray cat, white feet and breast. Phone Hanamo 172. 21-23

LOST—\$5, between Godsey's barber shop and Jim Andy Ford's residence. Please leave at this office.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—16,500. Market strong to 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow 3,000. Hogs—37,000. Market slow; top, \$7.90. Estimate tomorrow, 16,000. Sheep—10,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—2,500. Market strong to 10c higher.

Hogs—4,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$7.60.

Sheep—3,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,300. Market strong to 10c higher.

Hogs—2,200. Market strong to 5c higher; top, \$7.65.

Sheep—1,000. Market strong.

Yesterday Was Father's Day.

Although yesterday was Father's day in many states of the country, just as a few weeks ago was Mother's day, no one yesterday wore flowers in observance of the day nor no services were given in his honor.



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